

# You Ding, I Ding

(Liberate you... Liberate me)

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## **Introduction**

If this seems angrier than earlier books I think it's *just* a reaction to PC... and 'current events.'

**People shouldn't be able to ding car doors with impunity... or anything else.**

You ding I ding, your dime my dime. Liberate you, liberate me, is the title of this book but it was going to be *It Is What It Is* , so here's a little on that subject.

'It is what it is' can mean; 'I have no idea', 'that's above my pay scale' or other things - so I'm sure you'll take this book like my other ones for what they're worth... no more than you paid for it.

Regarding many topics 'it is what it is' and what it is for me is probably different than it is for you.

We are what we are, it is what it is... # let's try harder.

**The goal of this book is to be thought provoking not thought revoking. It doesn't answer great questions, just raises earnest ones and doesn't claim to proclaim the truth, just to seek it.**

## **Abortion**

**"If the millions who have been aborted had been able to answer the question, 'would you like to live or be aborted?' what do you think they'd say?"...  
Ronald Reagan (paraphrased)**

## **Activism**

The black man's shirt said 'Setting People Free' in Afrocentric colors... sure to make a statement and likely to reap kudos on the cruise ship. He was dressed to the nines and seemed to be enjoying his escargot. I'm trying to use the survival tactic of learning from experience, and it tells me that in this context 'setting people free' might mean income 're' in the USA. Meanwhile the greatest remaining *bastions* of slavery are probably in Africa.

I wonder if he'll confront the modern-day slave traders there? Maybe I should have asked him what his shirt means to him...

**When activism makes you rich, it makes me wonder what the activist is really doing.**

God grant me the serenity to accept the things I cannot change... and the strength not to take them lying down.

There are so many competing worldviews! Mine is 'liberate you, liberate me', there's also and more notably; evangelicalism, environmentalism, conservatism, progressivism, Islamism, Zionism, Scionism, communism and a multitude of whatever-isms.... still just the tip of the iceberg and I still don't know what my kids believe in.

## **Adam and Eve-N**

I don't know if the book of Genesis is literally true but think that's unlikely, nor does I need to know exactly how we got here, a little mystery's fine... for now.

## **Advice**

'Slow and steady wins the race', is another critical piece of advice we ignore... thank you Aesop.

The best advice I've heard is, 'slow down you're moving too fast and always look both ways'... if I could just follow it 😊

Don't be surprised if *everything you do* will do *everything it can* to screw with you... the best antidote is preparation, the worst is capitulation... never surrender.

Don't listen to anyone *too much*... mix it up, cause no one's perfect.

**I can handle Al Jones and the gang but they're not mentors. Dad was my mentor in business and life, spiritual mentors are more varied, but like Jones only tolerable in small doses.**

When I hear that, 'you've had your time', 'it's someone else's turn now', 'it's too late', etc. all I can say is it's not over till it's over. I'll be as compassionate as possible but won't follow that advice.

*I'll try not to give free advice because even my paid advice is weak*

**Stop completing sentences and finishing punchlines ☺**

**If your company is the part of someone else's but costs it money and you occasionally ask that company for advice then slam or ignore it, there's a problem.**

'If you do not change direction, you may end up where you are heading'...Lao Tzu

## **Aesop**

**He didn't say them all, but; haste makes waste, early to bed, early to rise; the ant and grasshopper... are all wise sayings, related, and to often pooh-poohed.**

Aesop's my hero of the week, he delivered positive lessons without threats, or fire and brimstone thrown in for effect. I'd hate to find out he wasn't virtuous after all... but a quick search says he was a slave, possibly a hunchback and according to some an African.

## **Aging**

**"Forty is the old age of youth and fifty is the youth of old age"... Victor Hugo**

**Forty's nothing! I'm 240, I mean 420... in dog years ☺**

You know a guy's in bad shape when he struggles out of the car at Kroger and says, 'wish me luck.'

**Mother nature's moto might as well be, 'out with the old, in with the new', because this is what she's tasked with. So she uses all the means at her disposal to take us out...#sooner or later we all fall down the stairs.**

You know my age, so of course I'm falling apart and there's precious little I can do about it  
# not the best shape of my life☺

*A good indicator of whether you're still in decent shape is if you can trim your toenails. It shows flexibility and motivation, and you're less likely to get infections from when caregivers accidentally cut them for you.*

We spend so many years learning and building ourselves up, only to forget it all and crumble to the ground.

Slow down! People are still trying to run us ragged and at our age it hurts. Let them *do* for themselves.

By the time we reach 60 most of us know about back pain, some just manage it better than others.

I'm 61 years old and there're still so friglin many *learning processes* going on in my life...

I may have one year or 25 left but some peeps want me to prepare like I'm going tomorrow. Seems they want picking my bones to be as easy a process as possible.

What you don't know when you see *an old folk* is; were they God awful to their spouse, was their spouse God awful to them, and does it matter?

Dang... I'm getting grayer by the day-er

**'Older now but still running against the wind'... Bob Seeger**

# Aliens (Ancient & Otherwise)

## Amarna Letters

### America

'You are the sons and daughters of the Boston Tea Party. What you are feeling is your pedigree of freedom, America is no longer an experiment it's an accomplishment'... Ronald Reagan

'Good' superpowers are usually 'allowed' to exist... America though imperfect IMO's an example of that, bad ones usually get ganged up on. # stay that way.

The horrendous FL school shooting was last week, and I agree civilians don't need AR15s. Can I wonder if it's time for the country to peacefully schism along; party, ideological, religious or ethnic grounds? Our previous terrible failed attempt resulted in about 700,000 deaths. Will we preserve the union at any cost? Or might we divide into two or more countries? Perhaps the coasts and the middle living peacefully side-by-side, if that's possible. North, South, Central, East and West America would have new meanings.

Might they work together to effectively protect the continent with a North American Treaty Organization? I think this is a pipe dream and our future's up for grabs... possibly to the highest bidder.

Or is the alternative another civil war where one side is crushed or there's a stalemate and hundreds of thousands are killed. In either case our rights would likely be trampled on in the name of security or victory.

I don't think we're at the point of no return and hope we never are...

I am not for the Afrization, Africation, Afritation or any other 'ation' of our nation... I mention Africanation so much because it seems to me to be having the greatest IMO mostly negative impact.

**Is America a cat's paw and if so who's are we; God's, Israel's, Christianity's, corporate America's or a combination?**

**'If we're Gods hands then we must be doing the right thing, if we aren't then what are we doing? I heard a statistic today that America's been at war 93% of the time since its founding. Are we doing the right thing, and have the dozens of wars we've fought been 'just'... maybe, maybe not. That makes me wonder if we are just the modern day Roman empire... with a 'kinder, gentler, machine gun hand.' (Neil Young)**

I have no problem with the level of Judeo-Christianization that has occurred over the centuries in United States. But I hope we never become a theocracy and always have have freedom of religion. What I don't want to see is further; Africa-nation, Islamification, Latino-ization, Asianization, LGBTQization or for that matter Anglo-ization, of the United States.

Immigration, emigration, deportation and banishment are related and have been *practiced* throughout history to build or tear down nations. They say 10% of Americans descend from the Mayflower Pilgrims and that we're all descendants of Adam, Eve and Noah's family, not sure I believe either premise, but I don't want to be replaced by usurpers no matter how we're 'related'.

Was slavery a serious flaw or a fatal wound for America?

It wasn't long after the freed American slaves who settled in Liberia reinstituted the 'peculiar institution' enslaving their neighbors.

**Why are we subsidizing people who are having babies that they can't afford to raise? A few will be doctors, lawyers and chiefs but many more will take lower skilled jobs driving wages down and 'filling' positions that should be taken by able bodied welfare recipients who refuse to work. The rich want illegal immigration to keep labor costs low and neocons want cannon fodder, which is even worse. IMO many such soldiers have mixed loyalties, hate extant America and want it to morph in the direction they came from.**

**If we lose the freedom to consider the statistics we trust and the experiences we've had and have to capitulate to the statistics and experiences of others, then America has joined; Africa, Russia and North Korea.**

Americans are victims of forced labor, since the taxpayers labor provides free food, energy and entertainment to many who should be working for a living.

Not wanting to lose one's ethnic identity isn't racist but the PCP is working very hard to make American's think it is. They want us to believe that we should reject our ethnic and racial heritage and only embrace multi-culturalism

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**I fear we may become Rome populated by, 'good Germans', if we haven't already. The opposing Antifa clique wants to usher in a Bolshevik Amerika. Caught between is the highly sensible, silent majority struggling to 'do the right thing.'**

In 'Getting Past Our Toxic Partisanship' by Amanda Ripley the Wall Street Journal editorial says we need to start maybe we should start looking in America as a combination of many countries instead of one that's exactly what they want divide and conquer. Since they may succeed we need another place... Idaho or space?

**'Try to remember what this is all about, it's about our country'... Mika Brzezinski. The problem is her vision and mine might be quite different.**

## **Ancestors and Old Stuff**

If you're the 15th generation of people from the same place there are certain places you go that are very special and you don't even know why~ I think that's beautiful'... Robert Plant

I have ancestors and want descendants and if you can't understand why, you probably never will. If your kids were the last in your line, and they might not have children, you might feel like I do. Or you might buy the PC line that your people's time has come and gone. Meanwhile those who want to replace us are having huge families at the taxpayer's expense.

We're told by the PCP to reject everything about race that our ancestors believed. I reject slavery but otherwise respect and embrace much of what they believed. I base that respect on their centuries of experience and my decades of the same.

There's an unwritten contract between me and my ancestors to continue our line and I'm not ashamed of it, despite what the PC ZPG crowd says. I'm not telling anybody to agree or comply, just saying do not obstruct or hinder me... lead, follow or get out of the way.

I don't think our ancestors were right about other races, nor do I think they were wrong.

Historically and until recently men wanted their bloodlines to continue which isn't the most important thing in the world but there's nothing wrong with it if they do so by peaceful means. On the other hand, women have no particular interest in a man's bloodline continuing, they have their own objectives and there's nothing wrong with that either if it's done in a peaceful means, and therein lies one of the bases of the battle of the sexes. Both drives are somewhat instinctual, complementary at times and conflicting at others. Let's work on the complementary part of it without ignoring the conflicting part of it and trying to negotiate but not capitulate on those points.

Arguably no bloodline has ever been essential to the future or survival of the human race although; Christians would argue Jesus was, Jews might argue Abraham or Moses was, Buddhists might say Buddha was, Hindus might point to Gandhi, Muslims would say Mohammed... and some people might throw Einstein in to the mix and on and on we go. I would argue that we'd probably be getting by no matter who was left out although history would be different... or would it and by how much?

*Since my European and Arabic ancestors had plenty of flaws, I don't want to add more to them and when I see Asian and Negro a characteristic if I had a choice I would take the best of both, the worst of neither and get rid of the ours of hours but that's not exactly how it works.*

## Anger

'Life's a bitch and she's back in heat'... Roddy Piper ('They Live')

It doesn't take that much to make me mad, just a lot to show it... help desks are one trigger.

There seem to be things we can't discuss because we're on different pages and quickly things go south...

**You can rub a tiger's tummy and tell it to be nice but eventually it won't...  
nurture will only trump nature for so long.**

I took the shoe that caused blisters off the rack to throw away, but it crashed my bare toe in a last-ditch effort to hurt... good riddance shoe!

**Don't worry if people are disgruntled or pissed at you because the reason's usually self-interest or ideology...they'll get over it and if they don't it's their tough luck. #Life's too short to let peeps get you down**

## **Authority?**

'But the authorities seem unable or unwilling to stop it'... how many times have we heard that?

**Regarding sometimes needing obnoxious people like Trump the question is, in the long run will his obviousness result in something good, or something bad?**

Saw a funny card that said something like, 'it' s your birthday, you can take a day off from trying to run the universe.' There people for whom this wouldn' t be an exaggeration.

Don't just question authority... question everything and everyone, from the pastor to the plumber.

## **Banksters**

## **Battle of the Sexes**

Tailored suits, chauffeured cars,

Fine hotels and big cigars

Up for grabs, all for a price,  
Where the red hot girls keep on  
Dancin' through the night'... AC/DC

The battle of the sexes has been going on since time  
immemorial...so you ding I ding, liberate you liberate me.  
Let's live in peace, let's compromise... let's not capitulate,  
let's have a truce, a treaty, an armistice.

With all of the sexual-harassment charges does a man have the right to seduce a  
woman... maybe not? Does he have the right to court, or woo her? Most likely but  
probably only under the nanny-state's guidelines. Will Hillary et al make those clear or  
will they be; fluid, situational and open to interpretation, if not to whimsy and  
convenience? Please elaborate... liberate her and him and if that means new rules so be  
it, but let's make them reasonable, equal, transparent and hopefully enforceable.

How much are we influenced by *our father who art in heaven* and by the *earth mother's nature*? It reminds me  
of the Old Testament versus the New Testament question.

Funny, both sides in the 'battle' are willing to have a truce as long as they're the side that  
dictates the terms... once again, therein lies the rub. The terms each side would dictate are  
based largely on instinctive drives which we prefer not to talk about because *we're much  
smarter than that*.

Why is it that almost any woman is more interesting to talk to than almost any man?

In the *old days* there were terms like; necking, petting and heavy petting... are those still  
allowed and under what conditions?

Rascals... aka ras-girls.

I have a friend who never complains about going to work. He loves doing the  
same thing over and over... poor guy has one eye and a little head.

Women always confound us. Even in harems and polygamy women make themselves unavailable by naturally synchronizing their periods. Men are either frustrated or 'move on' to New 'conquests.' Another glitz in the matrix...

**Women are wonderful, but I don't want to be ruled by them. They're no more peaceful than men, they just demand blood for different reasons. Granted men have a terrible record but that doesn't mean we should surrender.**

I want a real wife who'll argue and 'scrap' for what she believes in, not a Stepford wife. But I don't like this system where laws passed by our 'pure' democracy are designed to make us neutered, toothless, drones.

Hmmm, maybe I do have a wicked streak but looking at the sweet ladies...what do you expect?  
☺

**They make themselves so beautiful and alluring and tell us that it's as much for each other or themselves as for men, which I believe. Maybe it's even more to impress, challenge or exasperate each other, regardless they spark the heck out of us! We however, have a solemn responsibility to maintain our composure and not do anything stupid.**

**If there's a silver-lining to the sexual-harassment scandals, it's that in the future there may have to be written contracts and videos of sexual encounters to protect the innocent. That will probably be called lurid, reactionary and obscene but it doesn't have to be. Maybe it would only have to be R-rated and after it would be for jurors and a court of law not for children.**

Is it wrong to pay a little extra for softener salt cause the manager's cute, or buy paint I don't need because the paint girl's, or go to the pub where the bartender calls everyone honey? Not that I'd ever do any of that.

'Woman' equals relentless and maybe they're supposed to be... we must *fine-tune* our actions accordingly.

Ladies ~ your peeps are a troublesome lot... maybe not as bad as ours ☺

I think women don't trust men in general and suppose our less than stellar record is the cause... caveat emptor, maybe there is a biological or evolutionary reason for 'it.'

**It's strange... women are different than men and don't want to do 'certain things' but to get what they 'need' they certainly will... call it a 'Catch 22' I guess.**

**Ladies are lovable, be they happy, snooty, funny or grouchy... every last one is incredible, but I'm not accepting their world views without a fight.**

**Both are probably a drag, but what's worse ladies? Being pestered or being ignored?**

**There should not be subjugation, instead groups of relatively like-minded people who can agree on a constitution should join together. Such groups will grow or whither depending on the wisdom and fairness of their constitution and its equal enforcement for all comers.**

**There's a basic dichotomy between their desires and ours. Things we like to do with or to them, or have them do to us aren't necessarily what they want and vice versa. Might we reach a compromise, or is that impossible? Neither side should dictate the terms to the other and if we learn to get along our future will be brighter.**

Are there 'people' and women, or 'people' and men and who came first woman or man? Did the first man come from a woman's vagina, the first woman come from a man's rib, or both come from the dust and muck of the earth? Like the chicken and the egg is it impossible to determine, and unnecessary, arguably ridiculous and/or interesting to debate☺

**At our worst men are brutish idiots, women can also be very bad.**

**Money can't buy you love but it can buy women... which obviously isn't the same.**

There are superficial differences between genders and there are genuine differences... some are profound.

History's been tough on men. They can't be what they were and they don't know what they're supposed to be'... 20th Century Women. # you wanna bet?

Are we *just* transport devices for our reproductive organs? Are our brains *just* control units which chemically provide us hormonal cues to guide our actions... or do we have some greater purpose?

**The ladies... they've been to charm school, and to war college.**

Women are truly wonderful... but they shouldn't rule men.

**Really? Love isn't conditional and there's no associated quid pro quos? I wish you were right but dismissing the possibility that sex is an *asset* used like *currency* doesn't change minds... but go right ahead ☺**

The numerous real and imagined responsibilities (yes imagined) that women have and the inconsistent support they receive from men can make them a frustrated, grouchy bunch. We should do our best but not be poodles... and any expectation that you can make them as happy as a Lark is a mistake. Their needs and desires are extensive, their expectations unrealistic and our abilities limited, so going overboard it please your woman will get you nothing but more expectations. It will be appreciated only short-term and conditionally. So do your best for your kids and wife and like anything else do it with enough moderation to maintain your sanity.

**Watching men and women walking together to Lido Beach, the men look like they're going *somewhere*, and the women look like they're going *somewhere on purpose*. Then and then you have the little groups of four or five women...**

**'Pulled me like an apple red and ripe. Wasn't very long you took a bite. And did me wrong, and it serves me right'... Chris Cornell**

"Yellow tigers crouched in jungles in her dark eyes"...Procal Harem

## **Beauty**

She's got wonderful eyes and a risqué mouth, when I ask her before, she said she's holding out'... The Cars

Pretty As they are, the weather girls look even better without my glasses... guess they're only human.

Respect the old and 'ugly' because they were once as young and beautiful as you, and someday you too will be old, 'ugly' and deserving of respect.

Such rascals, so naughty...so sweet.

There's the before picture and the proverbial aftershock.

**Young women call old guys creepy and it's often true... after all, oldsters are as attracted to young women as anyone else.**

She had one of those 'sit here' faces, but I wasn't trying to get punched in mine, so I looked the other way. That's okay, because I get lucky on every cruise... # I'm married :)

Many things look good until you get right up on them...# it's all good ☺

## **Bee Hives and Ant Colonies**

'Good little worker bees' are hard-working and loyal, they're also ready to sting for the queen, which leads to their death and the hives survival.

In the beehive everyone's kept busy so there's no time to think outside of the box or contemplate doing their own thing...

I don't want to live in a beehive but since that's where we seem to be heading, I hope they let me a drone not a worker. In an effort to have their cake, eat it and keep up with the Jones', we must all be rats racing each other on treadmills.

## **Bell Curves and Hard Wires**

**'Odds' vary considerably but in the final analysis everything either happens or not... so a case can be made for 50/50 ☺**

**People's abilities range from below average to superb, but the latter shouldn't act like they're great...and the same applies to morals.**

I think the percentage of "*good*" peeps and "*bad*" is the same among different pops. My concern is that certain genomes overpower others and disappear them. I also think populations vary in more ways than appearance alone.

Bell curve; steering wheel hand position by gender... women 10 & 2, men 4 & 6?

**Yes... I think certain peeps have certain dips and certain pre-dips.**

In addition to, and in contrast to Bell curves there are outliers.

Bell curve; people who wonder about things in an *outside the box* manner by gender and race... of course it's a subjective graph.

**Who bends to peer pressure more, men or women? That could be a bell curve.**

Bell curve; attraction between different genders and races for one another.

**Bell curve; form and appearance vs function male versus female**

Bell curve; how I've been treated and treated others by race and gender etc.

*I might comment on what I think the traits are for Caucasian, blacks and Asians. There are bell curves and overlap but I won't get into it because it's taboo and my observations are only anecdotal.*

A *chart* of types of YouTube videos broken out by race or ethnicity might show interesting *results*... but I think the PCP would say they data is meaningless at best, racist or simply evidence of bias caused by centuries of privilege for some and degradation/discrimination for others. It's about the same for crime stats

etc... so go ahead and 'bury your head in the sand', maybe things will turn out just fine...

## Ben Franklin

### Bible

We are stardust, we are golden, we are billion year old carbon and we' ve got to get ourselves back to the garden' ...Crosby, Stills, Nash & Young

Are you Old or New Testament? Christians are usually New and Jews usually Old, and both are advised not to deviate. For those of us who consider both testaments inspired but not inerrant, why not revere the best and eschew the 'worst'... which IMO is extant.

The Bible contains both wisdom and *fantabulous* claims... I like the wisdom and question such claims.

IMO there's a chance everything happened exactly as stated in the Bible and a greater chance it happened a bit differently. Constantine may have strong-armed the Council to canonize a certain version of the Bible out of expediency, urgency or whatever, but I think the New and Old Testament canons are at least as human inspired as they are divine.

Do you really think women suffer pain during childbirth because a woman named Eve ate an apple offered by a snake? *Most* people have never even seen a talking snake.

'Be fruitful and multiply', was a very early command. When the Bible and nature are on the same page, so should I...

### Biblical Archaeology

I'm very interested in Jesus from the point of view of; his apostles, Christian churches, biblical archaeologists, the Jewish people and other world religions and spiritual traditions. I don't see why, but according to some people that makes me a heretic or bad person.

An antiquities fraud ring sold dozens of fake Biblical artifacts to museums around the world. The Solomon tablet may be one of them... an Israeli court prosecuted Oded Golan but he prevailed. Peter Popoff and his ilk face no such scrutiny, as they enrich themselves with crib cards and ear phones.

**I'm more interested in being a seeker-searcher than a proclaimer... lame, stupid, so 60's... whatever 😊**

Henry Rollinson found and translated ancient Sumerian cuneiform tablets, via the Behistun Inscription. 'The inscription includes three versions of the same text, written in three different cuneiform script languages: Old Persian, Elamite, and Babylonian (a variety of Akkadian). The inscription is to cuneiform what the Rosetta Stone is to Egyptian hieroglyphs' (Wikipedia). The inscription possibly alludes to the Garden of Eden (biblical Garden of Eden) which might have been a transformation of the word Gin-dunish.

The translation of cuneiform led to other archaeologists and scholars finding and translating other ancient texts. One was the eleventh tablet of the epic of Gilgamesh aka as the "The Flood Tablet", (at the British Museum), reportedly describes how the gods sent a flood to destroy the world. Like Noah, that epic's hero 'Utnapishtim' was warned and built an ark to house and preserve living things, and after the flood he sent birds to look for dry land. The Epic of Gilgamesh which is one of mankind's oldest known works of literature also features a plant of life, which is stolen by a serpent. Written in about 2,000 BC it was discovered in Sumerian cuneiform tablets by George Smith and is reportedly 1,000 years older than genesis story in the Bible. #What's the connection?

## Bias

## Bird World

## Breasticisms

## Britain

'The Russians, the Americans, the British and their friends  
They're carving up the world again, it's getting kind of tense  
A whole lot of posture and very little sense'...Robert Plant

The Irish and the English and the Scottish and the Welsh  
A damp and misty history they keep it to themselves...Carving up the World  
(Robert Plant).

You know it's not difficult to see what's going on, also the ridiculousness of our time. And yet, as as ridiculous as these times are because we're living them and we're experiencing this nonsense and insanity we're surrounded by its from time immemorial it goes back all the way back in time, these gestures and neurosis it's a similar condition just different clothing and different weapons, it's the same mindset. It beggars' belief really'... Robert Plant

'The German English were an invading force in England versus the Irish, Sottish and Welsh'... Robert Plant (paraphrased.) 'Really, there's no distances between people, there's never any distance but there's a million miles of distance... and its inherent it's a shame but it's a fact'... Robert Plant

'I could never be a Texan it was too late, or even English really, I'm just a guy that lives in those islands'... Robert Plant

## **Bugs**

I REALLY don't like bugs, hoses and cords... although apparently all are needed, but am I right to assume I'm doing a bug a favor when I squash it?

*Arriving at the farmhouse and the bugs as usual are waiting and happy to have a fresh meal delivered to their door! Some are huge and I wonder if I should trade my bug spray for a scatter gun.*

*I don't like bugs and they hate me, they haven't given up on the idea that they can take over the planet... and maybe the 'mindless' bastards will... God forbid.*

The only thing I like about weeds and bugs is there a resiliency... actually I don't like it, just respect it.

## **Business**

I send my reports to clients at the very end of the day so they won't be able to reach me until tomorrow... I want them to have a cooling off period ☺

It's better to be a little late then to go to meeting unshaven... which is about to happen.

Second day in Houston and I see my first pair of cowboy boots. It's a well-dressed businessman. Meanwhile I've seen head scarves and everything else imaginable.

When the customer asks for something extra, there's nothing wrong with asking for an increase.

*If someone wants to be a minion or a 'good little worker bee', that's their business but don't let them make you one.*

Sumitomo?... I care more about the people than the company, same as GE or anyone else. From what I understand people are the company anyway... I don't care much about the big ones.

I prefer other vendors over Amazon because I disagree with Jeff Bezo's vision for America but O'Reilly Autopart's may be similar, so is supporting small business a losing proposition? O'Reilly Autoparts is a big company too and I've no idea if their major shareholders are of the Bezo ilk anyway... so who should we support?

Don't expect someone to pay your company's bills but have no say in what your company's policies. If spouses have different worldviews IMO it's ridiculous for one to be compelled to finance those of the other, I call it a violation of human economic rights. Loving someone greatly doesn't mean you should be their minion, even if the law, tradition and society are on their side. Don't bow to ideological, racial, gender or religious supremacist even if the law and society are on their side the weak should be protected, and if not they should fight for their rights or move on.

# Capitalism

**'Slow down your moving too fast you got to make the moment last'... Simon & Garfunkel. That's fine except on the job where there's no time for 'feeling groovy', the boss and bosses boss have bills to pay.**

**I find it interesting that so many people are communist with OPM and capitalists with their own.**

**IBM now employs more people in India than in the USA.**

The attraction of *pure* capitalism is that if you make billions you can give it to your kids, it's flaw is that it creates aristocracies...

Amazon should be broken or its profits given back to society for purposes other than welfare for the lazy. Using methods similar to robber barons of the past, Bezos is crushing the competition and the benefits go directly to him and his shareholders. If you say he shouldn't be punished for using a successful business model, I'd say concentrating so much wealth in the hands of a small clique, creates a hereditary aristocracy that weakens national security. Bezos is an innovator but so was John D. Rockefeller and the others magnates he imitates. Standard Oil was eventually recognized as a dangerous monopoly and Amazon should be as well.

Innovation should be rewarded but not when it's based on predatory monopolistic practices that result in uber concentrations of wealth and power in the hands of a few people who use it to re-shape society to their liking, that is the reason it weakens national security. Bezos, Gates and Zuckerberg are currently listed by most as the three richest people on the planet and they are all social activists. Balzac's quote 'behind every great fortune is a great crime', certainly applies to Zuck and partially applies to Bezos and Gates.

Gates, Bezos, Miliken and 100 more billionaires meet in LA to plan their next move. They'll provide welfare to Africa so they can thrive and emigrate to the west. They and their offspring will; charm, scam and impregnate Americans, further weakening our intellectual genome. Just the latest in these pirates attempt to overthrow instead of reform the old order. Where's Andy Jackson when you need him,? Maybe Donnie T. will fix things if he isn't swayed by 'others.' Meanwhile Amazon workers slave away in

warehouses plantations for massa Jeff. They say, behind every great fortune is a great crime and those are usually followed by more of the same. Bezos and Gates, arguably the richest persons on earth obtained their world changing riches by screwing others. These geeks are determined to stick it to the jocks and others who bullied them and laissez faire cronie capitalism, which they and their predecessors enshrined affords them the opportunity. Meanwhile the sheeple give these modern illuminati and their scions carte Blanche. Their plan is for everyone to be on their payroll or on welfare the world over. It's the old 'we don't care who's visibly in charge as long as their on our payroll', be they generals, foot soldiers, judges or politicians. Oh for the pendulum to swing! The answer is to tweek and improve, not cause chaos. Be a disrupter if you want but don't replace a flawed system with an evil one... fix the former instead.

**'Capitalism carries war within it, just like clouds carry rain'... Jean Jaurès**

**(So does socialism)**

## **Charity**

"Nothing is finer than the open hand and the generous heart that's prompt free and unselfish giving. But modern social science knows, also, that ill directed charity is often directly responsible for encouragement of pauperism and mendicancy. The best service we can do for the needy and the unfortunate is to help them in such manner that their self-respect, their ability to help themselves, shall not be injured but augmented. Nobody is necessarily out merely because he is down. But, being down, nobody gets up again without honest effort of his own. The best help that benevolence and philanthropy can give is that which induces everybody to help himself." — From President Coolidge'

Be wary of peeps who make demands of your time, money or effort. It should be up to you who to support and any form of pressure, threats or coercion is wrong. Give joyfully if you want or not at all if you prefer, be they needy or mighty. Remember what Jesus and Calvin Coolidge said. The One and Only was much greater but the president was no fool.

Some peeps are glad to pay for the sins of their forefathers and insist that others do the same in or to make the world a better place... who knows. Many are eager to receive these entitlements

and reparations, often believing they're owed much more. The givers would redress past wrongs, perhaps thinking St Pete will let them in, or at least let them rest in peace... who knows.

## **Children (young and old)**

'What happened to the wonderful adventures

The places I had planned for us to go

Well, some of that we did, but most we didn't

And why, I just don't know'...

Abba

Boys hector, girls pester...

Of course, society should pay for sick kids, seniors in nursing homes and others in need through Medicaid and we could afford to if it weren't for; anchor babies, chain migration and people having government babies that the taxpayers; feed, shelter, educate etc.

## **China**

"Everybody knows war between China and the US would be crazy and no one wants the war to happen but that doesn't mean it won't'... Graham Allison

We may have *blown it* with North Korea since China seems to be there arms suppliers and protector. If China's leaders still agree with Mao's reported statement that China can lose 300 million people but we can't, then I may be too late and far too costly for a war with China. General MacArthur or someone on his staff supposedly recommended nuking China during the Korean War in the early 50s before China had 'the bomb.' I'm glad we didn't use our nukes then and believe it would've been a horrendous crime. We will either learn to live in peace or possibly destroy the planet and most of the intelligent life on it... or will the words of the prophets prove correct? I suppose time will tell but how much time is there?

**China is buying millions of acres of agricultural land in Africa to grow food for its people. Will the Chinese eventually colonize these lands and through Chinatowns dominate those countries? Or, will the Africans try to take back their land and will it lead to war with China?**

## **Church**

"A rock pile ceases to be a rock pile the moment a single man contemplates it, bearing within him the image of a cathedral"...Antoine de Saint-Exupery

When you're asked to carry water for Jesus, are you carrying for him, or for Peter, Paul and Mary... your local priest or pastor, or is it all the same and very fine?

I agree, being drunk at the bar's a bad thing but those drunk with religion have been known to cause harm too. Until I find a church I'm comfortable with, I'll take a friendly rail over a *rousing* pew.

**Is religion the human equivalent of howling at the moon? I doubt it but we do have a long tradition of blowing everything way out of proportion.**

I would like to live in a completely non-sectarian country theology must take a backseat to civility as must atheism because it is a religion too. Spirituality in all peaceful forms must be allowed but we must have a constitution form of government and it must have ironclad walls that separate and protect it from all forms of organized religion and ideological fundamentalism. To survive these onslaughts, it must constantly be reinforced and buttressed with the latest forms of armor now it's; steel and Kevlar, some day it may require something even stronger.

The Salt creek store has been used for church services it should therefore be grandfathered in for church weddings...☺

As a pre-Constantine church Euchre allows members to interpret the Bible in other ways than that of the Council of Nicaea, but it is not gnostic. This member believes it's possible, perhaps likely that the world will end as written in the book of Revelation. Whether that mean that it's what God ordained, or what men have ordered and worked extremely hard for to achieve is another question. John of Patmos or whoever 'may' have seen the future and quantum physics may explain how but it does not explain if God or man was behind it.

Euchre's neither gnostic or evangelical, it's a seeker society and a 'what it is church.'

I wonder what *this church* looked like 40 years ago? I'm pretty sure it's changed considerably and will continue to... call me racist if you want but to me it's another case of replacism and it 40 years it may look nothing like it once did.

At the moment, Big Woods and 19th Hole are my closest things to my Cheers and my church... # that's okay ☺

## **Civilization**

Can you stop calling peeps called minorities when they begin to outnumber you?

Western civilization never exactly worked as advertised... societies never do.

## **Climate Change**

## **Colonist's Manifesto**

‘I thought I saw the bomber jet planes riding shotgun in the sky’...CSNY?

Diverse nations plan trips to Mars to establish colonies, could alien races have done the same on earth? Asians, Caucasians and Africans look different enough for that to be semi-plausible.

Just as we may look for places to colonize if we ‘ruin’ the earth, aliens may have done that thousands of years ago. Earth may be a waystation and there might have been no humans or only Africans at that time. In the intervening years, aliens and earthlings may have interbred. If aliens stole the earth from *indigenous humans*, should it be ‘given back’ or did those natives steal it from someone or something else... that seems to be the pattern. Once again it comes down to have a strong defense or somebody's going to steal your stuff... in the case of more advanced ‘beings’ can there be an adequate defense?

Long term it might be possible to go off and find another planet where we might *get away from it all* but short term we need to make things work here, so people may live in peace, security and equality... hmmm.

**Funny, things always seem to work out but sometimes they work out badly. Take slavery, would the north have prospered without the slave economy in the south? We hear different opinions about that. And if farmers only grew organic food, would there be enough for everyone? Would there be conflict between Darwinian losers, and rich ‘winners?’**

**Aesop had some good advice in his, ‘Ant and the Grasshopper’ fable. It's not applicable in all cases but its advice to be prepared and watch out for slackers is good. In addition to grasshoppers, there have always been wolves, vultures, hyenas and snakes out there... you can perish or assist and resist.**

## **Competition**

‘There should be equality of opportunity, not equality of outcome’... Nick Adams?

‘Around the clock there's an arms race in the animal world, they’re competing for dominance and survival and there is no second place’... Nat Geo. It's the same in human

**society, once our survival needs are met we compete for dominance, but we're told to relinquish the right to be masters of our fate and pass the baton to those who hate us... such talk is baloney, subterfuge and possibly an organized scheme to destroy us.**

Competition's a fact of life but it would be less disruptive if we weren't so intent on always having things 'our way.'

My friend says it's not a competition I respectfully disagree. We didn't make it one, but it is, always had been and ideally is a friendly one. Of course, you can opt out but that limits one... or does it?

In the competition between nations nationalism's as significant as ideology. Russians for example are as keen on 'Mother Russia' as on socialism and the elites are as wealthy as fat cats anywhere.

**In life there is paperwork, digital or otherwise to do... get used to it or get left behind.**

**Even within our families we jockey for position, which apparently is quite normal and begins the day we're born. Babies cry instinctively and if the parents come running then baby's won round one. The stakes and tactics change over the years, but the competition continues unabated till we leave this world.**

**It's easy to say life's not a competition when someone's a millionaire. That disarming manner usually cloaks a quietly competitive person and such talk invites others to throw in the towel.**

**Organized religion isn't the problem, the problem is cut-throat competition for world domination.**

I think life's largely about competition... first for survival and after that for dominance... sometimes it's simultaneous. Like Bruce said, 'poor man wants to be rich, rich man wants to be king, and a king ain't happy till he rules everything.'

People worry about a race war, but I think there's a low intensity race war is going on all the time. You can call it; competition or a cold war but will it eventually get hot? It's only a small percentage of people actively fomenting racial war, and most people want to live in peace. There are however some who will use everything at their disposal to destroy others, including blaming them for past injustices and modern mistakes.

**For some reason, playing a great round of Jeopardy's a lot more fun when there're others in the room...**

I'm not bashful about saying life is a serious competition although the zero-population growth crowd say it's not. In fact, they say we should grovel, apologize, acquiesce, kiss ass and give away what your ancestors sacrificed to pass on to you. They screwed up and sometimes did bad things but so did EVERY OTHER group of humans on the planet! They didn't fight, die, sacrifice and EXCEL in numerous areas of human endeavor for us to surrender it to those who hate us and them. It's not a game, it's the most important goddamn competition in the world! I think God is watching the drama and though I don't know who he's rooting for (maybe the underdogs) but probably not the quitters. Emptor... quitters are not the meek and the meek are not gentle, unless you interpret 'meek' to mean the strong silent type as some do.

## **Complaining**

I'm never going to stop the rain by complaining'... BJ Thomas

... stop the rain, stop the rain, the rain, the rain... the rain.

**We've made our bed and set the stage, so why are we surprised when 'act III' arrives?**

Been 10 days and still haven't recovered from my most recent bad haircut... but I've no complaints about pretty fingers running through my hair.

When there's complaining to be done you can be sure it will get done in spades. As we age, some of us swear more because common things become more difficult, leading to screw ups and frustration. Between dropping things and forgetting things it's no wonder we cuss... at least that my excuse 😊

We're breed like cattle and when our 'strain' a problem or redundant, we're expunged. They may need labor, or they may need brains... as long as they don't think for themselves.

People do their griping in a variety of ways... mine's on paper, via keyboard to be exact.

Is questioning everything the same as asking a lot of questions, and is it worse?

When I strategize you call it evil, when you do it you call it noble... hmmm.

Don't feel bad, we all make mistake after mistake and beat ourselves up over them... let's stop all that ☺

Fatherhood? The complaints we receive are many but the rewards are far greater... it's the old soup and sandwich thing.

## Conflict and War

'In this time of bestial instinct war is just like making love'... French poet, circa WWI

Peeps and nations rarely come together till the enemy's at the gate...

The commercial shows a man with a cane saying he can't get dialysis because there aren't enough technicians. I wonder if it's because we spend our *treasure* bombing cities in order to slay real and imaginary monsters in order to make the 1% richer and to satisfy other special interest groups.

*Nation builders who go around the world slaying monsters and leaving countries in equal or worse condition, may want to reconsider. There certainly are monsters out there and sometimes the world should slay them, but if you have no workable plan for 'after the war', consider strategies other than just harming; people, countries and infrastructure. Slaying 'monsters' is daunting but if you can't successfully rebuild, consider setting good examples instead of blowing things up.*

If Trump decides to make war, I'd probably be opposed. I'll side with George Washington and John Q. Adams who would be slow to make war beyond our borders. Especially if it's a George Bush style preemptive war but there are scenarios where I'd be on his side... just not many.

As we edge closer to potential nuclear war with North Korea the Hawks seem un-phased. They seem to treat the approach of a possible nuclear holocaust like they'd any conventional war. It doesn't seem to matter if the fighting will be with bows and arrows or nukes, when you're on board you're on board... apparently, it's a human trait. Now they're saying North Korea can also wage germ and chemical warfare... will that *curb their enthusiasm?*

As horrible as it is, women have been brutalized, raped and murdered, and young men have been killed in senseless wars since time immemorial and both are travesties... so will it ever stop?

Except in certain extreme cases we should steer clear of conflicts the world over. We should offer humanitarian aid, *non-biased advice*, and encourage the antagonists to peacefully sort out their problems. If their leaders and populous reject our efforts, it's probably their own fault.

Without God's supernatural intervention perhaps in the form of Jesus Christ, turmoil on earth will continue as it always has. There are too many cliques and special interests determined to get their way at any cost, how can *human effort* bring peace on earth?

We make *war* because we always have, people are used to it, believe *it's necessary and inevitable*, making the vicious cycle hard to break even when there's no wolf at the door.

Conflicts we have been drawn into either 'honestly' or otherwise include; Christianity versus Judaism versus Islam, communism versus capitalism and race versus race.

Don't shoot till you see the whites of their eyes was a tactic not a strategy... while Bush style preemptive war is a strategy not a tactic.

War's a vicious circular blame game in which people claim the high ground be it moral or tactical... both of which encourage more fighting.

"Battle lines being drawn, nobody's right if everybody's wrong. What a field day for the heat, 1000 people on the street, carrying signs and singing songs mostly saying hooray for my side"... Buffalo Springfield

'When I look back, war is terrible but who is to blame? The reason for war is always fear. Stalin was afraid of Hitler and Hitler was afraid of Stalin. The victims

were the many dead German soldiers and the many dead Russian soldiers'...  
German infantry man

## **Conforming**

**If you're waiting for; approval, adoration or a pat on the back be patient... it could be a long time.**

There are a lot of good Germans out there and there are also a lot of 'good Germans' out there.

Like it or not, life is often about appearances, whether it's; a house for sale, company coming over or going on a date... we don't have to comply but there are consequences for ignoring how things look to others.

**Shrinks are America's version of the *re-education* camp and halleluah insurance might even cover it!**

It's fine to devote your life to making the people around you happy but you shouldn't have to...  
*Caveat* different drummers pay a price.

**For starters, I don't sleep well but another reason I nap is that everything I want to do after finishing my work day is, 'illegal, immoral or socially unacceptable'... I'm kidding... okay I'm not kidding, I'm exaggerating.**

Anyone, or group that now or historically applied, or didn't contest; forced conformity, coercion, violence or chaos over; reasonable laws and an individual's right to free will is wrong in my book...

## **Conscience**

The Unitarian idea of *following the dictates of your own conscience* is flawed since our consciences aren't perfect...that doesn't mean rely on someone else's.

Some peeps deny ever being situational, saying they call spades a spade and treat everyone the same. Then the phone rings and depending on who's the caller, they're available or not... what do you call that? I'm guessing it carries over into other more important aspects of life.

## Conspicuous consumption

### Conspiracies

**'Coincidences are spiritual puns'... G.K. Chesterton**

Trying to figure out all the conspiracies in the world is like trying to figure out if there's life after death... not going to happen in my lifetime.

**Cliques, conspiracies, thugs and provocateurs at opposition rallies, false flag operations and the deep state... they're hard to dislodge because they've been so effective at enabling the uber rich to maintain control over society. The Ubers aren't a monolithic block but they're not so different from each other and both sides are equally intent on staying in power. They live for yachts, private islands, steak, lobsters and little girls and boys. Apparently, the rest of us just dream of such things at least some of them.**

Watching three days of the Condor on a big HD TV was cool... it appears that the *deep state* was already in full swing in 1975, and that or at least an entrenched bureaucracy goes further back...much further.

Fifty-nine dead, 200+ injured at the Las Vegas concert. Will Donald Trump now be for gun control, and if so will it be called a conspiracy? Would it be a conspiracy, or a logical chain of events and is that what many 'conspiracies' are? Conspiracy theories abound, did the Soros/Bloomberg/Clinton camp 'arrange' Vegas to further gun

control... or was it a Manchurian candidate, a lone madman or something else?

Is it hubris or something else that countries like Turkey and Pakistan are considered back-washes, even though both were once world powers. I'm guessing that most Americans have little or no knowledge of the Mughals of Pakistan and India, or the Ottoman Turks. We know about sports, celebrities and 'enemies' like Russia and China but the rest of the world barely registers with us... think again.

**Two of the cliques vying for power that we may not consider are the Pakistanis who descended from the Mughals and the Hindus of India. The Moghals forged a powerful empire that ruled India, Afghanistan etc. and dislodged the Hindus from power for centuries... both still compete for influence regionally and well beyond.**

We're also wrong to assume that only our elites can *make things happen*. There are other ambitious elites, agencies and secret societies that vie for power with *our* Masons, Bilderbergs etc. There are mandarins, oligarchs, ISI, RAW and God knows how many others out there are 'up to no good'... # unwise to *discount* them.

Do conspiracies originate with individuals and clicks, from higher powers, or are they organic mechanisms that somehow arise to accomplish something the universe requires... not sure, so I'm keeping an open, inquiring, skeptical mind on the subject.

Nobody on either side is going to give you the whole story if it embarrasses or incriminates them. We tend to sugarcoat things and hope that the bad news doesn't get out that's how conspiracies are hatched and computers hacked. Each side has members of in the deep state whose job is try to find dirt on others and sweep their own under the rug.

The 2017 Vegas massacre will be spun by all sides in a way to make it support their views and goals.

Conspiracies? Well there's; crony capitalists, Masons, Bilderbergers, Asian mercantilists and mandarins, Pakistani Mughals, Russian kleptocrats, Zionsits, KKK, Islamist terrorists, scions and princes, nanny staters and Trotskyites to name just a few. IMO they're all jockeying for position in the Kentucky Derby called life.

## **Constitution**

The way to protect a constitution would be to require a 90% vote to change it.

## **Contractors**

## **Cooperation**

You are what you are, I am what I am... let's deal with it.

A Hispanic woman on the radio says, 'it's time to stop talking and start collaborating.'... does she mean we must submit to her world-view? Does she really mean collaborate or does she mean cooperate? Those who demand allegiance, collaboration and submission, will use you as cannon fodder... if you must fight, do so for your own beliefs.

Of course, we should try to get along and compromise when possible but to capitulate is a mistake... if driven to that, fee-for-service may be better than an uneven yoke.

Don't fear collaborating with any peeps of any color, gender or persuasion, when the opportunity or need arises. Do them right then be on your way.

## **Co-optation**

**Coopted is when you switch from your world view to someone else's. For example, cooptees may love another race and actively support their ascension over their own and that's their right. I wish other races well, but when they lobby for reparations or demand revenge, then *Houston we have a problem*. IMO, the solution may be dilution via separation.**

I can't stand; Gates, Bezos, Zuckerberg, the Google guys and their ilk, they are coopters. I'm told that means I'm jealous but I dis. Through their billion dollar mouthpieces, they've convinced millions of the righteousness of their world changings views. They've also framed the debate, marginalized or censored opposing views and insulated themselves from much of the potential criticism. Their PC philanthropic donations help make them almost above reproach, despite the fact that those billions are spent to promote their views and squash most of our 'outdated' traditional mores and values...those guys should be sweeping the streets.

**Mixed race people usually stick with their darker relations, perhaps because the lighter ones are less accepting of them, or maybe they don't accept white values which they find discriminatory, hypocritical or morally bankrupt. That's their right and it's understandable that they don't want to be coopted, likewise it's right and understandable that white families shouldn't be coopted by black cultural values when a mixed-race person enters the picture. Hopefully, mixed race children will be fully accepted into white families and not pressured to adopt 'white ways' if they don't want to. Similarly, the white family shouldn't feel pressured to embrace brown or black ways. Upon reaching adulthood it may be the case that the option to live separately from each other rather being co-opted be exercised. We should all have the privilege to choose our own paths, living side by side or apart in peace, which sometimes will be the case and sometimes will not.**

Coopted ~ voluntarily switching sides, or involuntarily being 'taken over.' Largely accomplished by misinformation and 'reeducation' campaigns saying how bad our peeps are and how innocent there's are. It's baloney (to put it nicely), their peeps are/were no kinder and gentler than anyone else's. Many were lazy, unlucky, didn't study, had low IQs (sorry to tell you) and/or massacred each other and their neighbors at the same rate as anyone else. The potential for good and bad is, and always has been equally distributed... and tragically applied.

## **Corruption**

**'A house leaks from the roof on down'... Vietnamese saying**

## **Crime**

Maybe 'Seal Team 6', should target MI-13 and other dangerous gangs in the US and maybe making America safe should be 'Job 1.'

**Most of what comes natural including seduction of 'available' consenting singles by the opposite sex is okay... rape is not; it's a very serious crime.**

Not surprisingly, given the chance, people tend to punish 'the guilty' how they think God would. This can mean; capital punishment, life in prison, early release, pardon... or torture.

**When someone commits an act of violence, why and how bad it was should impact the punishment meted by the courts. If one's 'circumstances', upbringing etc. somehow caused the crime the offender may deserve a break... depending on what he broke.**

I believe unequivocally in protecting women from violence and rape, especially if they want protection, and just as firmly disagree with women ruling men by majority vote or any other IMO ill-conceived means or schemes. Come to think of it, the gov should protect everyone from violence and rape.

Harvey Weinstein may be despicable and if the rape charges are proven he should get a long prison sentence. If he forced actresses to have sex by physical means, then it was rape. If, however an actress knew in advance or became aware during the 'interview' that he would require sex for a role and they consented, then it's creepy but not rape. If they consented at first and then said 'no, stop' and he didn't stop it's also rape. If sex occurred without physical force and an actress later decides she didn't give consent then I don't think it was rape. Creepy quid pro quos have been going on for a very long time initiated by both sexes and the determining factor regarding rape should be was there physical force involved. If both are adults and there's mental pressure, stress or duress but no physical force then IMO it's not rape unless and until the woman says 'no stop' and the man refuses to stop. Creepy quid pro quos exist throughout society and occur

between spouses too. It's true that men are the ones who demand sex for favors but it's just as common for women to demand favors for sex. IMO it's a bit creepy when either sex use the 'timeless' quid pro quo of giving sex for a favor, or giving a favor for sex but it's not a crime if it's consensual and non-violent. It may in fact be a fact of nature, which people legitimize and don't discuss as long as it occurs within the of institution of marriage.

African migrants from the Sudan commit 10 times more crimes than the general population, and 86 times more aggravated crimes than the general population in Melbourne Australia... 'One American News'

'It is a crime to alter or manipulate the will of the people'... UNITA leader Angola (that bastion of freedom.) Meanwhile a US congressman is advancing a bill to determine what speech should not be allowed.

//Hitler was part Jewish, would it have made his crimes against humanity and the Jewish people any different? I don't think anyone really knows but some 'experts' think he was, so if he was and if he knew, what might it mean about his psyche?

'A murder cannot have salvation in the flesh Epistles (Can't find this in the Bible

## Criticism

From time to time we use lines on each other like, Luke 11:39's, 'you Pharisees clean the outside of the cup and dish, but inside you are full of greed and wickedness', or Matthew 7:5's, 'hypocrite, first take the plank out of your own eye, and then you will see clearly to remove the speck from your brother's eye.' It makes us feel good to call out others and they're darn good lines... that we might easily apply inward.

I'll admit being imperfect but I try not to criticize myself... that's not my department.

## Cults

**If it walks like a cult, talks like a cult and quacks like a cult, please don't tell me its a duck.**

There're people so focused on helping their movement conquer the world, that they've lost the ability to consider the cause might not be all it's cracked up to be.

**Another thing about the cults is that you're not allowed to think for yourself and have to take everything they say as the gospel truth. A thinking person might arrive at the same conclusion, but would want to think about it without being pressured into doing so under the cult's parameters, directives and 'facts.'**

**At their core are the major religions personality cults? You say tomato I say to-mato.**

A 'religion' or movement that doesn't allow members to contact their family and loved ones should be avoided at all costs...

There was a lot of good stuff at the marriage conference and a certain amount of propaganda designed to keep the flock in line... I still see cultish characteristics at *these churches*.

I watched the Scientology network's show about its founder L. Ron Hubbard, and contrary to my pre-conceived notions he seemed like a decent man. Maybe his movement has been taken over by zealots, or maybe Scientology's not much different than any other personality cults... # think twice before joining one.

There are cults and there are concepts. Cults are based on personalities... concepts on ideas.

## Cryonics

## Dad

'I got a name, I got a name  
And I carry it with me like my daddy did  
But I'm living the dream that he kept hid  
Who led me down the highway  
Who led me down the highway  
Who ran ahead so life wouldn't pass me by' ... Jim Croce (modified)

Sometimes Dad embarrassed me but I should have emulated him. I was embarrassed because he didn't look like my friends' fathers. Mom fit in easier since she looked the part which might be why Dad seemed to prefer the company of folks like Dick Nagel and Dr. Sugar.

I loved my dad, love being a dad and always will love being a dad.

## Debt

### Democracy

*Pure democracy stinks for everyone but the majority.*

Some would legislate relevancy and they'll achieve some success, ironically such nonsense works best in *pure* democracies and dictatorships... since both employ brute force to get their way.

We should no more allow democratic despotism than any other form of tyranny cloaked as benevolence to enslave us. The individual should have this much freedom as possible within the framework of a decent society as determined by societal or community councils.

I would take my chances in a court of law before taking them in a *pure* democracy... at least the courtroom has some rules, *pure* democracy is mob rule, and the mob can be anyone from a cross section of people to little old ladies.

There are men who have 20 kids with 20 women and society foots the bill. There're also men who have one child and society awards half their income to the mother, while largely revoking his parental rights... travesties brought on by *pure* democracy.

Our forefathers wisely limited the right to vote to *productive* members of society. They limited it too much, necessitating reform by tweak, instead we overturned the apple cart and gave the vote to everyone, including jackals and vultures. Those may have their place in society but it's cleaning up, not governing.

*Pure* democracy is resulting in the greatest loss of power, freedom and autonomy in the history of humankind. You may think this is great, I think it's a fool's errand of gargantuan proportion. It allows the so called 'meek' to strangle humankind with rules and regulations that do nothing but entrench and institutionalize their grip on power. Tweaks and reforms to a constitutional form of democracy is what's needed but that possibility's approaching the midnight hour. The vote shouldn't be universal, it should be reserved for those who pay into the system instead of freely given to those who spend their lives draining society's resources. Non-payers should have limited voting rights, with the right to gain greater voting rights if they get off the dole and pay a fair and reasonable amount into the system.

Of equal importance, the constitution shouldn't be abridged by any part of the population even if they constitute the majority. That is tyranny by numbers which should be fought against as hard as tyranny by force of arms.

## Denominations

'It is the test of a good religion whether you can joke about it'... G.K. Chesterton

I'd rather tip at a bar I agree with than tithe at a church I don't agree with.

About the only thing agreed upon by radically liberal and radically conservative denominations is that Jesus is the messiah and that 'they' and only they are his church...

Do Catholics believe that Jesus was; God, the son of God, both or what?

**New answer to, 'are you a Christian?'... if I am, I'm a pre-Constantine one. After all Jesus didn't tell us to listen to what they were going to say hundreds of years after his crucifixion at the Council of Nicaea. I've been baptized and asked him to be my savior, and there's not much more that's any of your business. One of the sticking points is that so many people have been killed in his name and so many Christians who routinely believe in 'kill them all and let God sort them out.'**

**The televangelist show starts with the words, 'it's time for worship.' Worship and thoughts are controlled at this church so there's probably something else going on...#the weekly brainwash.**

It's October 31, 2017 driving home Chicago radio stations are talking about the 500th anniversary of the protestant reformation. The Protestant stations consider the day that Martin nailed his list of grievances to the church door a great day, the Catholic stations called it the worst tragedy ever.

Listening to both the Catholic and the Protestant stations, half of what they say sounds like superstitious nonsense, the other half like wisdom. I'm reminded that humans have not yet changed, they will argue and fight and hundreds of religions and denominations are evidence of the problems with trying to 'patent' God.

Listening to the sectarian squabbles, each group claiming to be the best weakens my belief in Christianity. I can't prove there's a God but hope and believe there is, although I'm not sure the God of the Bible is the God of the universe. All I know is that on a personal level, I believe the God of the universe is as incomprehensible to us as he was to the ancients... although that didn't deter them from claiming him as theirs.

New religions and denominations appear in response to existing, entrenched religions, that no longer satisfy, offend or threaten some members of society.

Don't expect rationality from people because it's *relative* to the present circumstances.

From the movies to the talk shows to the pulpits, they're all saying the same things in different ways... I'm not in tune with any of them.

## **Despotism**

## Discrimination

I 'don't like the way they look' isn't a good reason for discriminating but you should have that right, if you're not denying someone life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness.

By today's standards my grandparents were *prejudiced*, my parents weren't... apparently, I'm a throwback. I don't know why my grandparents were prejudice, maybe like me they looked at facts not fiction.

So, who is the ultimate *protected* class; white males, Females, blacks, others? Take your pick and watch out for motes, beams and kettles black

## Diversity?

I appreciate every race including mine... Hines 57.

Should I believe a collie's the same as a poodle or a bulldog? Dog's are one species but there're many breeds. There're also many different human genomes, IMO the differences are not irrelevant and though we are one species, we're not *all the same* ...#  
*viva la difference!*

I think every ethnicity should be treated equally but watching TV, I think some are promoted and others mostly ignored. We're unlikely to agree which is which due to our bias. One might examine this statistically but that would be neither definitive or PC.

America may be the most diverse country in the history of the world, is it necessary to enshrine that into law via quotas and social engineering, or is it better to guarantee and enforce 'liberty and justice for all?'

Data varies but I've seen estimates of 337,000 to 700,000 Africans brought to America as slaves, and possibly 35 million European immigrants coming to America since Jamestown and Plymouth. If you take the average for Africans it's 518,500, and divide U.S.A's 2017 black population of 40.5 million by that number I *surmise* that blacks have increased 78-

fold since the country's beginning. Some of the increase is blacks coming of their own free will in the last few decades. In comparison, running the same calculations for white's, 198 million in 2017 (per the table below) divided by 35 million white immigrants since our founding, one might estimate the white population has increased only 5.6-fold compared to the number who immigrated. Some will say hurrah or poetic justice... other's will say, something else.

I like people who're different than me as much as people who're like me aka Heinz 57...

Hispanics are increasing in number and percentage of the population at the highest rate followed by Asian Americans... while white population growth may be zero. Hispanics can be white, black or mixed race and; whites, blacks and Asians are also usually mixed ethnicity if not exactly mixed race, which IMO doesn't change the conclusion that for *better or worse*, America is becoming a *very different place... if it's Heinz 57 that's okay with me...*

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### Hispanics accounted for more than half of total U.S. population growth last year

*U.S. population increase, 2016 to 2017*

|          | 2017 population | Change, 2016-17 | Share of total increase |
|----------|-----------------|-----------------|-------------------------|
| Hispanic | 58,603,060      | 1,132,773       | 51%                     |
| Asian    | 18,262,549      | 521,092         | 24%                     |
| Black    | 40,573,936      | 344,700         | 16%                     |
| White    | 197,959,872     | -9,736          | 0%                      |
| Total    | 325,344,115     | 2,216,602       |                         |

Note: Estimates for 2017 are preliminary. White, black and Asian are single race, not Hispanic. Hispanics are of any race. American Indians/Alaska Natives, Native Hawaiians/Other Pacific islanders and multi-race Americans not shown.  
Source: Pew Research Center analysis of U.S. Census Bureau population estimates.

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I fine with living peacefully side-by-side but personally want to maintain my Heinz 57 without social scientists meddling... but that seems impossible.

Here I go again... I will not voluntarily aid and abet the *ization* of our nation or the extinction of Heinz 57 peeps like me.

One scenario is that the races mix *somewhat*, and everything works out fine, the 'average' American's genome may change from mostly Caucasian to equal parts white, black, Hispanic and Asian. The 'average' American would look 'a little different' but probably

very nice and the average IQ would likely be about the same as it is now... Jump ahead a few generations and the average genome would continue to evolve resulting in an unknown percentage of each of the above... IMO the trend would be great for some but would lead to the disappearance of others

That 'average genome' would depend on any number of factors, some of which may be predictable... others not so much. We can look at modern and historical reproductive rates, as in how many children does each population have on average. We can also look at whether one genome tends to be dominant over others when peeps of different ethnicities have children together and we can look at the experience of countries or regions where races/ethnicities have mixed... Egypt and Brazil are sometimes mentioned...

**It's not a big deal, but I think of myself as multi-ethnic not biracial (potato potato.?) The two DNA tests I've taken don't agree with each other, but I think they support the above.**

I'm not saying that other cultures are despicable, just saying I prefer mine... is that a crime? # not yet.

You could say we're bi or multiracial because we have at least a fraction of a percent sub-Saharan African ancestry via North African genes on our father's side. Our mother may also have a fraction of a percent Asian genes. So, what does all that mean? Until more accurate testing is available IMO it comes down to 'identity politics' and as usual there a lot of moving parts.

My thoughts aren't focused as much on where we came from as where we're going, and whether we'll disappear in the process? Some peeps are okay with fading away... it's their prerogative.

**We may not want to admit it but whether it's; the sexes, races, ethnicities or in-laws, we're so alike it's not funny... in other words 'they' can be as kind or as cruel as us... but we're still not identical.**

IMO we're equal but genetically diverse. We can merge or diverge and should have the right to freely do either without outsiders or society pressuring us to conform to their preferences in the matter. People who object to elitist social engineering should have the right to form their own communities in order to survive...

There's nothing wrong with wanting to preserve the identity of your peeps, it's not meant to be an insult to anyone that we want to survive...

Spurred by the media, academics, politicians etc., one population thinks of reasons why some should feel guilty and give away the farm, while encouraging recipients of entitlements to demand more freebies.

**I don't fully understand other cultures but know I don't want to be overwhelmed by them. I will respect but may not embrace or abet them.**

**Every race is violent but if experience and stats 'indicate' to me that some may be more violent, why wouldn't I lobby for my peeps to avoid them? Love is strange, blind and political... # makes for strange bedfellows...**

You should live with who you want to, and can live with in peace, be they your close genome, brother by another mother, or sister by another mister. It should be of each person's free will, neither prescribed or subsidized by the gov or anyone else.

Race is a continuum that we're all on. We're related and of equal worth but we're not the same, that's true diversity and IMO it's good. There's no commandment I know of to become; one race, gender neutral, one religion, or to be of only *one mind* these are all the antithesis of diversity. We are instead taught (some say commanded) to love one another and 'not kill'...

Maybe it is time for another great wave of Africanization as apparently happened several times over the past 500,000 years ago. I'm not for it but if the 'decider in chief' says so, then it will be... # presidents aren't the real DiC.

**They're probably right that we came from Africa 50,000 years ago, 150,000 years ago or whatever but I don't think they have it all figured out. We have the right not to be coerced or shamed into associating with others per someone else's prescription. Some of humankind's prehistoric/ancient relationships are so old that modern descendants sometimes feel like aliens to each other. Let peep's associate with whoever they want without being manipulated or harassed...**

Why be surprised that some military and government workers would have mixed loyalties if they come from other countries? Young soldiers and staffers are told to Anglicize and minimize their ethnic heritage via hazing, peer pressure and advancement or lack thereof. If

refusal to embrace Anglo-Americanism leads to glass ceilings, then mixed loyalties will continue. Immigrants are intent on adding their values to our mixture, and when those values are excellent we should embrace them... when they're not we should reject them.

If a diverse society is to flourish it shouldn't be dominated by a particular ethnic group, nor should it be dominated by a particular ideology or theology. It should be governed fairly by an agreed upon constitution and minimal, reasonable laws.

Similar peeps have different expectations and dissimilar peeps may have even more different expectations... and therein lies the rub. We should lobby for our desires but not force them on others.

**Christian and Zionist neo-cons *may* control Breitbart and have great influence in the White House and in the democratic party... what a surprise. Jews may be about 13 million worldwide but they may hold a *disproportionate* percentage of the worlds wealth. This may be God's will and they may accomplish their goals but what happens after that? Will Christians continue to applaud, or turn on them as they have so many times before...or will there be anything left anyway. I think this has been considered in Tel Aviv and elsewhere.**

**Two of the president's children are married to Jews, while Zuckerberg married an Asian woman. I find it interesting how successful peeps find each other. It's probably a natural phenomenon though conspiracists see something else going on.**

**Meanwhile... the specter of an EMD explosion hovers and most peeps have no idea what that means. If what they're telling us is true we'd better prepare for the worst, not just hope for the best.**

Society usually benefits from diversity, but diversity shouldn't be engineered, mandated or quota'd by governments or elites, it should be grass roots and voluntary.

**For me there's enough diversity between; Copenhagen, Cairo, Chino and China... not asking you to agree, just asking for the freedom to choose.**

Just as being for diversity doesn't automatically mean being for Africanization, being for separation doesn't automatically mean being for racism. They're different worldviews and whether they coexist is a question, sometimes they will, sometimes they won't.

## **Dogs (Mans Beast Friend!)**

What's you been doing? ... been skinning cats – in many different ways

Dogs may be man's best friend, but human relationships are more important, because dogs demand nothing of us including excellence.

**I recommend a dog in the yard and a spouse in the house... that doesn't mean we can't visit each other's domain.**

*Some people are not vaccinating their dogs because they think the dogs will become autistic... it might be an improvement.*

I like dogs and with the right sauce love them ☺

## **Dreams and Sleep**

'Dream on, dream on, dream on,  
Dream until your dreams come true  
Sing for the laughter, sing for the tear  
Sing with me just for today  
Maybe tomorrow, the good Lord will take you away'... Aerosmith

Insomnia? Don't say 'I can't sleep', say, 'I can sleep!'... unknown

In Hebrew the words fighter and dreamer are the same except for one letter,

I pity people who don't have dreams, great dreams of things to come'... Golda Meir

## Dreamland

### Driving, Miss Daisy

'There's an opera on the freeway and a ballet in the alley, till the local cop cherry top...' - The Bruce

At the Indy 500, everyone has the same goal, but when you're on the road they're different, some are racing some are Sunday driving ~ and therein lies the rub.

**I've been making this drive for almost 30 years and I still haven't perfected it. This morning I finally learned that I might as well drink out of the thermos instead of trying to pour hot coffee into a cup at 75 miles an hour...the cup feels better on my lips but stainless-steel works too.**

I don't mind letting fast drivers get in front, but I don't like it when the slow ones do... God knows we annoy each other!

Drivers get mad because we can't read each other's minds. We don't know that their 'being jerks' because they need our lane while we need there's... if we could just read minds things would work a lot smoother. Turn signals and signs help, but they not foolproof, since some drivers are fools most of the time and all of us are fools some of the time.

**Car pillars, those metal parts between windows, create blind spots so check them carefully, and certain colored cars like gray can disappear on asphalt so look twice.**

Just got back from Houston it's the most cussing I've done in quite a while. The people are very nice but the rush-hour traffic's confusing and stressful. It's partly Siri's fault but I guess I need to figure out the difference between Katy Freeway and the surrounding roads.

I'm sandwiched tween a fast truck and a slow car....hmm.

Very few drivers tailgate or whatever just to be jerks, they're mostly doing it to *get there on time*.

If I'm the world's worst driver, does it mean I *outshine* at something?

I can't repeat what I've been saying to Siri this morning. Her directions range from excellent to awful. Sometimes they get you there, sometimes they get you close, then screw up entirely. One thing about Houston the peeps seem very friendly even in traffic!

Despite my complaints, I think the nation's highways are pretty good. They're standardized, and a lot of thought went into most of them. Now if someone could design parking garages where you can find your car.

Asphalt - aka 'ass-fault' is a joke this winter... there're huge pot holes everywhere.

Getting run over by a truck versus a car is like being gored by an elephant or bitten by a hippo... both are likely to do you in.

I stopped at the gas station and used the ladies room because the men's room was occupied... heck, if transsexuals can go in either why can't someone who needs to pee like a race horse?

Just had my *driving home beer* and I'm feeling better after contemplating driving off a bridge to end the frustration of Chicago traffic... funny how something against the law just made me feel better. I only had one but that could land me in jail. The closest analogy I can think of is how cussing can make me feel better... it's not illegal but it's frowned upon. Anyway the trip is far from over and the DOT will likely do its best to ruin the trip home. I will battle the BMF's with healthy doses of; Bruce, Mick and the rest of the gang.

I rarely see a Subaru tailgating that close but it has a Suburban tailgating even closer and that's no surprise.

Driving the highway or back roads is a mental exercise not a race but that's how we approach it.

Like cops, most pro truckers are skilled professionals but tween a few bad apples and fatigue we need to watch them as much as they watch us.

Some guys like to make noise with their cars and trucks, don't ask me why or I'll opine.

While driving as in life remember it's easy to miss calculate and either can lead to a head on collision.

Put on my glasses and they noticeably improved my vision while driving... last year they didn't help much, guess my eyes are worse now than they were then.

I'm not good at picking the right lane in a traffic jam and picking the right stock in the market. The thing to do in both cases might be to stay the course.

*I doubt there're any drivers who're assholes all the time, but all drivers are assholes some of the time... # like Abe said.*

Black drivers sometimes strike me as risky, but I think it's their *fast twitch* muscle which gives them faster reactions than white and Asian drivers. That's not to say there aren't Asian and white drivers with lightning fast reflexes, but I think blacks tend to be faster... is that racist to say? Per the PCP it probably is, and I'm likely pissing off all three groups... we're not supposed to say races... because they say there's only one race... the human race. I think there are a number of races but only one extant human species... homo-sapiens.

Ladies drive by their gleaming knuckles tightly grasping steering wheels at 11 and 2:00. They seem to be racing to complete tasks, or put out fires started by us guys... Are they 'contestants in a suicidal race' per the Police or busy people going about their business?

Second hand smoke? Today I smell one I like... it's a cigar.

We act like we have some *special dispensation* because of the rough day we've had. Our job is of course very important, so folks better stay out of our way as we rush home to our loved ones, pets, or fortress of solitude.

*When it comes to driving there's both karma and safety involved. Mine's at risk as I cuss out*

## *drivers who really don't deserve it... does it matter that they can't hear?*

Driving problems like road rage are probably triggered by psychology and personality disorders. When someone cuts us off, our instinct is to say, 'what's that heck!', but some people will try to "do something about it. So we should learn about the psychology of other car and truck drivers. We should learn more about; etiquette, special situations and special needs so that we can cut each other more slack.

## **Drugs, Alcohol and Addition**

**‘She lived in her liquor**

**And died with a flicker**

**I'll always remember the flame’... La, La Land**

**Some say Jesus turned water into wine because the water was tainted, but he could've easily purified it... maybe he set a two-drink limit at the wedding instead.**

**I still do stupid things but did even more when I was smoking dopium.**

**It's good to get an adrenalin or cortisol rush from time to time, they make you feel alive and help keep you alive... but too much isn't a good thing.**

**Paralysis by pot can turn into a major problem...**

**There's no reason for me to smoke pot but it taught me, that some of the things we're supposed to give a hoot about are dumb and vice versa.**

**Is a 'generational curse' the same as a multigenerational *affect*? Alcoholism can go on for generations in families and have a devastating effect on children... is that a curse, a foreseeable affect or both?**

**Pot tells you it's okay to put off till tomorrow what you could do today but it doesn't address the consequences.**

**Pot?... say what you will and don't know about you but I can't fire on all cylinders with it.**

I may be a bit less disposed to alcohol abuse than some folks (God help me), but I seem to be more susceptible to smoke abuse... is that even Steven, or does it just suck?

**Well when you're sitting back in your rose pink Cadillac**

**Making bets on Kentucky Derby Day**

**I'll be in my basement room with a needle and a spoon**

**And another girl to take my pain away**

**'I would not put a thief in my mouth to steal my brain'... Maddie (True Grit)**

'Every junkie's like the setting sun'... Neil

## **Economics**

It's not so bad that peeps mistake effort for results, it's equating them and expecting others to 'make up the difference' that gets me.

**The Wall Street crash; 'America sneezed, England caught cold and Germany nearly died of influenza', the worldwide depression along with Nazi treachery propelled Hitler to power. When Wall Street crashed, huge loans from US banks to Germany were reportedly called in with 14 days' notice... the only one that helped was Hitler.**

We're treated like sheeple by marketers, but we're not stupid just susceptible to ads that trigger herd mentality. Case in point, robo calls from 'Elizabeth', from 'card services', 'Her cute, weary sounding voice is designed to garner attention and sympathy. Elizabeth's artificial robot voice has bilked thousands out of millions.

## **Education**

"Education is what remains after one has forgotten everything he's learned in school"...  
Einstein

**'Education is simply the soul of a society as it passes from one generation to another'...G.K. Chesterton**

Don't just think, study too ~ and not just what your told to. Who's determining your priorities? If it's anyone but you, you might want to think again.

**'Education is the period during which you are being instructed by somebody you do not know, about something you do not want to know'... G.K. Chesterton**

**'No man who worships education has got the best out of education. Without a gentle contempt for education no man's education is complete'... G.K. Chesterton**

**'The purpose of Compulsory Education is to deprive the common people of their commonsense'... G.K. Chesterton**

'I spent four years prostrate to the higher mind Got my paper and I was free'... Indigo Girls

## **Ego**

**'One may understand the cosmos, but never the ego; the self is more distant than any star'... G.K. Chesterton**

'Doesn't mean that much to me, to mean that much to you'... Neil Young. I don't mind having to tip to be treated nicely or called honey... it's another quid pro quo and *should* be harmless. It's a small price to pay for 'attention' or entertainment and its protocols are generally understood by all involved... but enter booze, all that can go out the window.

**'The two most important days in your life are the day you were born and the day you find out why'... Mark Twain**

## **Elites (See Masters of the Universe)**

## **End of Days**

*Rumor has it* the Jewish people believe they have a mandate to change the world for the better. IMO they are also the most intelligent people in the world but not necessarily the wisest. In order for them to exercise their 'mandate' effectively they must manage the rest of us like human cattle aka goyum, as according to many their holy book the Talmud says. This puts them at odds with other great religions and societies including Christianity, Islam and China. Reportedly how it all ends is written in the Bible... time will tell. Meanwhile the United States of America has become their *cat's paw*. Our founding fathers vision and course has been altered by money, brilliance and manipulation.

## **Environment**

Global warming? We've always altered our environment so let's make the best of it and maybe something good will come from it. Let's reduce greenhouse gas emissions but not at the price of total loss of freedom and surrendering control to eco-religionists.

Environmentalists want coal plants shut down but they're built cleaner than ever so I'm not for immediate closure. The *eco activists* may or may not wish ill on me for that and if our condos flood they may see it as poetic justice. I'm for build coastal flood walls etc, while doing our best to reduce greenhouse emissions, which is as likely to happen via market forces as it is to happen by force.

## **Euville**

If America ever gives in to pressure to stop singing the Star Spangled Banner and honoring the founding fathers, there should be a place that still does...

**EuVille aka UV**

C14... an outlier, rep'd by the old flag but with 14 stars...

I will not aid and abet the takeover of the US by usurpers... so farewell, shoving off... leaving the building.

A sovereign colony existing within the bounds of another nation, should expect to pay taxes and obey laws albeit sometimes in protest. In return it might expect to be afforded the same rights as other law-abiding citizens... otherwise it should have the rights of a 'private club.' Good luck!

... a planned community...

If Spring Arbor Michigan can have a university so can Euville... call it EuU. There's is right next to the Spring Arbor Methodist church.

Euville would offer no concessions or incentives other any equality... if that's not enough then so be it.

14CC (Constitution) should have a 10%? Limit on sub-Saharan DNA. That should be allowed because the colony will be a; free, voluntary, self-funded, independent association like the Mayflower Compact. If someone wants to start a colony/community that's the opposite, that's fine too.

Euville's 'rotating president' has the right to initiate defensive measures to protect the boundaries but not to start an aggressive, preemptive or any other kind of war outside our borders... that goes to the legislature.

Under 'freedom of speech' could the Ustitution survive onslaughts by opponents determined to undermine it?

Youkers should have as many children as they want and can afford. That way families would be more likely to survive and hopefully thrive. If you fall for ZPG and have one or two kids, they may; go astray of the law, decide they don't want kids, or die of disease, OD's, war or accidents... ipso facto kiss your family goodbye. I don't think Zero population growth is an organized ethnic cleansing scheme... it's a disorganized one.

## Eugenics

“Cheer up sleepy genes, oh what can it mean to a daydream believer and a homecoming queen”...the Monkees

Eugenics and ‘good breeding’ may be incompatible but good breeding is not incompatible with responsibly planning your family... but eugenics dovetails with the ‘Planned Parenthood’ version of family planning and that is something else and nefarious.

**You say there's no such thing as responsible eugenics, but you practice your own form via social engineering and extraordinary influence on the popular media. You claim its natural selection but you're prescribing and engineering relationships for the rest of us.**

I think it's OK to use ethical *family planning* to have a degree of control over your family tree, which doesn't mean abortion. The alternative is having your tree unduly influenced by government policies and directives, and the popular media's version of ‘what's good’ for society and you.

## **EVolution**

IMO we evolved from animals and some peeps are a bit closer to them than others. That doesn't mean they're inferior, especially when peeps who claim to be the ‘farthest removed’ from our prehistoric ancestors often behave like the worst beasts.

Are the races ‘even Steven’... can one run faster and jump higher, another calculates faster and a third dominates spelling bees? One supposedly ages like bananas but is beautiful in its youth. However, there's a *problem*, if one genome is dominant then when the races mate we end up going in the direction of that race, and pardon me but IMO that could be backwards.

## **Experience**

Can't verifiably prove that I feel things in my bones, but I do feel things other than winter coming.

## **Faith**

I agree Jesus is the gold standard for values and ethics... but what about everything else? Like Thomas I'd like to see proof, and the criticism for that is a bit perplexing.

*Trust but verify* all things, including religion, but is that a denial of the principle of faith? God might say so... certainly, men say it for him.

There's living by the sword and there's drawing it when necessary...

## **Family Matters!**

**'Yesterday I saw you kissing tiny flowers but all that lives is born to die, and so I say to you that nothing really matters and all you do is stand and cry'...**  
**Le Zep**

'We can't let the kids see that', so we cover their eyes. While there are things they shouldn't see, but it would be even better to do fewer things that 'require' covering their eyes. Eventually we may have to sew them shut... # scales aren't enough.

I love mine and respect yours.

I want our branch of the family to thrive, but will it even survive? Surprise us please!

I don't want to be *descendantless* as well as accomplish nothing *of note*. That would be like passing through the world like a bird flying over a great field, seeing only food and ignoring its beauty.

Dad spent his fortune trying to keep his company afloat, I'm tempted to spend mine watering the family tree.

I would like very much for *our tree* to grow... what's wrong with that? So, as they say, lead, follow, or... you know the rest.

**First there's my family, second there's my *peeps*... #very important.**

It's weird I was glad that my car was clean the last time my mom drove in it and that she had cake and ice cream in the hospital a few days before she passed.

become contentious as we all do what we perceive is best for 'everyone', which usually works out to be ourselves, or immediate family. Transparency and trust erodes, replaced by suspicion and mistrust. People sneak and scheme... pictures of files snapped while you sleep, because you didn't share them... copies of everything expected or demanded... is that what an executor does?

The World's a beautiful place but it's so screwed up that I can see why some *don't want to bring children into this world*, mostly I disagree.

Death in the family, executor of the estate, pots slamming kettles, splinters, logs, judging, suspicion, temptation, fear, 'do this, hide that', the dear departed 'would have wanted us to...' You can't make everyone happy not even yourself, which wouldn't be right anyway... the solution seems to ~ follow the letter of the law as best I can...

**I'm limiting the kids to a soda a day, cause there're too many half empty cans. They can put money in the kitty or switch to something we have more of....like beer and whiskey.**

I remember seeing a book years ago titles, Things Fall Apart and it reminds me nothing lasts forever... like the wine glasses uncle gave us years ago. They all broke so we drink wine from his stemmed water glasses... and they hold twice as much ☺

Reasons for a vas reversal; family tree, family, blowout, history, accidents, EMP, civil war, race war, financials, politics, philosophy, religion, ZPG, nuclear war... and of course a zombie apocalypse.

Till recently, for men it was bloodline and family, now the formers a 'no, no.' For women, family's more important than bloodline, which is *fine and in line* with the PCP.

**They're not my peeps but I wish them well. If my peeps mate with them, their kids will be my peeps and I will wish them well too... but. Iit's a free country and a door closing could lead to a door opening, a new\_opportunity... and not automatically a disaster.**

It's not that I want my peeps to dominate, I just I don't want them to be dominated It's not that I want them to conquer, I just don't want them conquered and want them to thrive... what's wrong with that?

I don't think I should've left after *the back porch* but I should've put my foot down and let the cards fall where they may... it would've made me a better man.

**They say Jesus took all our sins upon himself... my God what strength! We can't even handle our children's pain.**

Life in our house... no one could close the gate, turn off a light or turn down the heat...

Rummy spoke of, 'known knowns, known unknowns, and unknown unknowns' in war ... and the same exist in relationships.

**There're guys without a dime but they're rich with kids and grandkids... a family's better than diamonds and gold.**

Sometimes I feel I must 'save' this little family from extinction and sometimes I don't... mostly I do.

I'm not saying you have a responsibility to be fruitful and multiply, but recently I feel such responsibility. Call me out, or you respect my opinion... lose and we disappear from the face of the earth...

**'Seasons change and so did I, you need not wonder why, need not wonder why'... The Guess Who**

**When you have grandpeeps 'on schedule' a new season is ushered in... if not all bets are off.**

Not saying anything about being a great nation, just don't want the family tree to die...if that's grandiose then so be it.

**No more being a helpmate, that's neither ordained nor what I 'signed up for.' No more being the spiritual head of the family as long as 'I do it their way.' It's time to fish, not cut bait, to kick ass and take names... lovingly if possible but like the man said 'get er done.'**

**'The family is the test of freedom; because the family is the only thing that the free man makes for himself and by himself... G.K. Chesterton**

## **Fear**

'Here it comes. Come here comes your 19th nervous breakdown'... Rolling Stones

I got myself into this and it's up to me to get myself out... help!!!

If I only share controversial stuff with the man upstairs... why am I doing this? ☺

Of course, I put my life in God's hands and if there is a God, which is what I believe, then I'm in good hands... #cause I tend to fumble☺

"They're on our left, they're on our right, they're in front of us, they're behind us...they can't get away this time"... Chesty Puller, USMC (or General O.P.Smith)

"We're surrounded. That simplifies the problem"... Chesty Puller, USMC (or General O.P.Smith)

## **Fecal Matters (Too)☺**

Honey had surgery and 'Culver's' green beans weren't the right thing to eat... fortunately Barf bags have come a long way, at least the hospital variety☺

Cleaning the toilet's like washing the car, except it doesn't make it rain... it makes you...

There's a system for relieving constipation but I don't talk about it... ask me if you want to know.

I can't make her happy forever I can only make her happy for a while, then it's back to the drawing board and that's OK. The other thing is the quid pro quo which women often deny exists. Case in point, why are there sometimes *negotiations* after sex? As couples relaxes after having sex why do women bring up sensitive subject and lobby for concessions? Is it

just me, or that an indication that women realize the value of what they've done and put a price on it, in deeds if not in dollars? Call me crazy but when I hear something quack I think of ducks... or farts 😊

I'm a toot'n and pollut'n... must have been something I ate 😊

We're on a cruise and there's kayaking, snorkeling, weights, bikes etc. available, but other than what my wife and I *did* this morning the most exercise I'll get will be straining to get rid of all the rich food I'm digesting...

Home is where the fart is?

## **Feelings**

Just a notion - that's all

Just a feeling that you're watching me

Aah, every move I'm making

Am I reading your mind

'Cause it's almost like your touching me" ... Abba

Funny, how sometimes we feel that, and always have.

They say *absence makes the heart fonder* and *familiarity breeds contempt*... might it actually breed *content*?

## **Foibles**

I doubt you're demented, just nuts... What? I am too 😊

Doors bug me, they squeak, open and close unexpectedly, prove that society's dangerous and that we're self-conscious. On the other hand they give us something to slam when we're pissed :)

I don't particularly like doors, they; squeak, open and close unexpectedly and the fact that we need them means we're a self-conscious species... on the plus side, they're fun to slam and they keep out the bad things.

I'd like to know why my phone rings as soon as I climb a ladder?

## **Food and Drink**

Sandwiches are the quintessential American food. They allow mobility be it in a car or on a horse, things you can't do with a plate... and a bag of fries is the clincher.

Funny that the Earl of Sandwich and the French *invented* such iconic American foods!

**What do you do to somebody who's trying to do a favor but does the opposite like giving you a big piece of cake when your dieting? I guess it's the thought that counts.**

**There are two kinds of eating disorders, eating too little and eating too much. We hear a lot more about the eating too little but starving oneself to death is rare compared to eating oneself to death. And over eating negatively affects our health, while *moderate* undereating may actually improve it.**

## Founding Fathers

Our founding fathers were slaveholders. We've given it up but we *use illegal immigrants and people still willingly engage in trafficking in every country in the world.*

As far as I can tell the founding fathers weren't religious supremacists or zionists but many were racists and scionists... what an imperfect bunch God used to create this great nation!

The human drama continues because there's someone *next-door* abusing others and we're tempted to intervene. In some cases despite what the founding fathers said, we have to... but we do it too often.

Another strike against Constantine is that he almost certainly owned slaves, but so did some of the Old Testament patriarchs and America's founding fathers.

## Forgiveness

When a black man has 20 kids with 15 women he's forgiven and sometimes lauded for 'helping his people.' When a white man has 'too many' kids even with one woman, he's a pariah, it's a bunk worse double standard... not to mention that statistically I'm guessing the black kids are on the government mule.

**Forgive and forget is a lot easier when things change, when they don't then forgetting is a fool's errand.**

There are major things seared into our souls and short of a lobotomy they can't be forgotten. Now I'm told they should be disremembered but as much as possible I'd rather forgive and learn from the past. I agree we shouldn't get hysterically historical but neither should we ignore the past.

**Unless you're a murderer your life has value... but none of us are entirely 'off the hook.'**

## **Freedom and Free Speech**

**'Censorship is like a cancer that spreads, eventually everyone has something to worry about'... Dr. Mike Adams**

**Sometimes peeps are called sheep but we're not. Unlike sheep, peeps fight for their rights.**

**Don't be set on; conquest, imposing and domination... strive to be free and coexist.**

**I can argue I'm not a racist because I don't think I'm superior to anyone and they'll say, 'your language is racist and unacceptable', how long till not being PC will actually be a crime.**

The only 'issue' I have with free-speech is how the rich buy news outlets and proliferate their views... the problem isn't free speech it's big money.

You can be a slave to; friends, family, fashion or fate, or you can be a joyful servant...the latter is voluntary.

Yes, political correctness is a mistake as it limits free speech, but civility is good. Both sides practice their own forms of political correctness by strongly advising people on what they should believe, discuss, or promote. So called sensitivity towards others and national security are two excuses used by the PCP to curtail free speech... other than advocating violence, prohibiting free speech is almost always wrong. Although we're a lucky people when it comes to free speech, we're neither immune from the PCP, nor anywhere as oppressed as people in some countries.

## **Freedom of Association**

**We're all imperfect but we should have the right to be so with whoever we want, not with someone prescribed for us.**

Is FOA a basic right or is it discrimination? IMO it depends on your world views. Even if you believe in individual rights there are two sides to the coin and if you don't it's a no brainer.

If freedom of association means communities that are only; white, black, Asian etc. or any combination that's fine with me. Let the peeps involved decide, not government, elitists or anyone else. I identify as 'broadly white', but that doesn't mean I'm accepted by most whites and doesn't mean I want to live in a white only society, but people should have the right to associate as they please.

Engineered 'associations' are nothing new, nor is the fact that others are trying to manage that *task* for us, and even more so when our youth are the target.

So... freedom of association is or may be okay but being a separatist isn't... even if you're entirely peaceful it may be against the law...

## **Freedom of Thought**

I don't feel bad about thinking or reading... even when I read what I want, not what they want. # same goes for thinking.

Say and do what you want, I'm done asking, splain'n and poligizing ☺

**It's not uncommon to be estranged if you don't do things someone else's way. That's devastating but so might be doing it theirs, or the traditional, societal way.**

**Unfortunately doing things 'our' way can hurt others, but the harm may be because they're convinced everyone should live in the same 'box' as them. After all, if you don't do things the 'right way' you'll go to hell. Some people deem their group's values divine, their interpretation of God's will unchallengeable and use their numerical/military/monetary superiority as a legitimate reason to intimidate locals and bomb foreigners. The last thing I want to do is hurt others... um, make that the second to last thing.**

**You don't have to agree with my worldview and I don't have to agree with yours...or do I?**

## **Freedom of and/or From Religion**

I wish them well but not on my dime and that goes for everybody from church to welfare, both of which I'm 'encouraged' if not sometimes forced to support. Let the people that love those pay for them and let us spend the fruit of our labor how we want to. The best way to do that is separate accounts for everybody and for us not to be able to get our hands on OPM be it by hook or by crook.

## **Freeus.us (aka Foundation for Rational Enquiry and Expression)**

People everywhere should stand up for their rights... and some of them do... liberate you, liberate me.

Do you want equality or superiority?

Not insisting it be 'a man's world', just resisting 'handing it over'... # liberate you, liberate me.

**If you want liberation, empowerment that's great... if your method is controlling others on their dime... then I say ~ you ding I ding. If you're into tipping apple-carts, then yours is fair game too.**

Funny the flak when you request equal treatment, and it often comes from those clinging to their special status.

'Who are you? Who, who, who, who?'... The Who

Dr. Dick's rule seemed to be, if you're not a worker bee or a drone, you're a sociopath... aka you'd be a cog in the wheel, toe the line and excel at advancing TPTB's agenda. He wants to tell you 'who you are'

**Men do unspeakable things to impress women and women do or demand incredible things to impress man and each other. It's a vicious circle and we rationalize, if we question our actions at all. We don't think we're asking others to sacrifice, we only think**

about the *sacrifices* we're making. I'm being reasonable, it's not my fault, I'm in the right or it's necessary is our refrain. Is this God's way, the natural order or something else?

**Liberate you liberate me.**

Do you like your new liberation? I hope so. Will we like ours if it's achieved? Maybe. Will it be by tweaks or involve upheaval. Will it destroy the old order including that which was good, and will the new order be a perfect union, or more of the same with different faces pulling the levers?

Unity is essential for survival but can be misused by the PTB to oppress those they dislike.

One's 'world view', encompasses everything from religion to politics... there's no need to say 'these are my religious views and these are my political views', they're included.

**I unapologetically ask for equal *liberation* instead of a PC version of liberation that is prescribed by other, which I'm expected to finance, abet and facilitate. I will not be coopted, stooged, useful idioted or poodled without a fight. What I will do is live with others in peace under fair and equal terms... if we can ever agree on them ☺ If we can't and the law's unreasonable I will head for the hills, but wait... there not hills left where they can't find you.**

## **Friends, Romans, Countrymen (Lend me your...)**

"So I packed my hopes into a match box and said goodbye to all my friends' ... Zep

If someone demands servitude or unequivocal loyalty they're not your friend. You owe no one servitude and unequivocal loyalty leads to abuse.

There're things I'd like to discuss with peeps, but so many go south, degenerating into anger, frustration or name calling.

Smug? ... foes are, friends aren't.

**If you demand control over the fruit of someone else's labor how can you be their friend?**

**My friend may have done a lot of people a favor when he took that picture... I won't tell him ☺**

"You're the real deal in a world of imposters and I've seen the program make men out of monsters"... Avett Bros.

## **Future**

**'The distinction between past, present and future is only a stubbornly persistent illusion'...Albert Einstein**

We spend our lives *making our beds* and *setting the stage*... but *somehow* act III rarely turns out as planned. What one calls justice, another calls a stab in the back... maybe it's neither.

Since I won't be here in the future I want it to be experienced and hopefully enjoyed by descendants who will explore the vastness of inner and outer space.

I hope humanity has a great future and want my peeps to share in it... what's wrong with that? I don't want them to suffer trials and tribs but to some extent that's inevitable. Sorry, but God don't seem to like quitters and our peeps will hang in there, weather the storm, and share in great things to come.

**We're making the bed we're going to lie in till our dying day, not fully aware of the consequences of our actions. Hopefully we do no harm in the process but that's not always how others see it. Regardless of what others think, we must make our bed and set our stage, or someone else will do it for us and that's rarely pretty or nice. Do the best you can, pay the price, be firm yet kind and deal with the consequences as best you can. When they blame and warn, listen and heed when prudent but take it with salt because kissing ass makes things no better. They too are struggling to set a happy stage and make a comfortable bed, and facing pressures you cannot know but that will affect you as well as them. If they put you under their thumb to make that comfy bed you should forgive and forget... unless they won't reform. Don't ignore them with they say you're wrong because they may be right but neither should we cave and poodle.**

Voice recognition is a form of artificial intelligence we've been using for a long time. It's still pretty dumb but getting smart enough to guess what we're trying to say and based on their algorithms, may even edit what we say to 'improve' not only our grammar but on our thoughts as well.

Due to self-awareness and the desire for a secure future, I wonder if humans will ever stop warring? The lower species with little or no self-awareness live for the moment, worry little about the future and have less reason to feel they must utterly destroy their rivals... driving them off is usually good enough.

And the terrible things we do to each other are indescribable... but our memories are too short. But the old soldiers still get together at reunions whether from, Bloody George', pearl harbor or Gettysburg they remember and usually say it was worth it...

None of us can change the past but we may be able to affect the future especially our own.

We should try not to negatively affect others future in the process but sometimes it will seem like we did especially when we are affecting people who have affected our past negatively in those cases we should be as compassionate as humanly possible, while not continuing to submit to their will and capitulate to their demands and agenda.

## Gandhi

## Gay

## Generation Gasp

Generational drama never ends... rich *pubs* usually have a kid who turns lib and wealthy *deems* a kid who turns conservative. The tried-and-true way to avoid this is join a strict cult. FLFS for example, but some members still bolt... occasionally enmass.

Old people can seem creepy at times... except moms, grandmas and grandpas. Old ladies are different than old men, young women different than young men and forcing pegs in wrong holes is dumb. We don't always realize men and women are here for different reasons despite PCP telling us we're all the same.... equal yes, the same no.

## Genius and Stupidity

'Genius is one percent inspiration and ninety-nine percent perspiration'...Thomas Edison.

There are different paths to greatness be it academics or athletics. It can as Edison said or other combos of talent and effort.

There' s intellect and there' s wisdom, Einstein had both while Steven Hawkins seems to have great intellect but his more limited life experiences may have left him with less wisdom. Steven' s a bit like all those *young geniuses*, great intellect but due to limited life experience limited wisdom. What he and they have are; high IQ' s, book learning, indoctrination and hubris. I respect Hawking' s opinions but with all due respect there's only so much of the world you can experience from a wheelchair, and though he wasn't always 'bound' and does have a family, I can' t imagine he' s had as many *life experiences* as Albert.

There are several kinds of intellect, so IQ tests are biased, but they are also valuable in determining who might succeed in the society that produces the test.

**Life's frustrating for slow learners but very slow learners may not care... ignorance can be bliss.**

**The self-taught man may not have the best teacher... they have a teacher who probably knows didly.**

I' ve heard mostly pronouncements from Hawkins based on book learning and research which is okay, but I' ve yet to hear anything humorous or interesting like one reads in Einstein quotes. Of course Hawkins life took a tragic turn and though he doesn' t seem to be looking for sympathy, his illness may have affected his outlook on life. I wonder about his sense of humor and think the public would like to hear more from that side of him.

**Am I allowed to *think* blacks may be physically superior and mentally different?**

**Physically superior because looking at every sport, when given the chance they excel if**

not dominate. Anecdotally blacks live longer with equal health care... more evidence of physical superiority. IMO they're mentally *different*, expressing intellect differently, although there's much overlap. If blacks made IQ tests, whites might test low...caveat emptor, Asians usually *win* the 'white' IQ tests.

A moron who's patched 100 tires will do a better job than a genius who's patching his first.

There are people I've never had an intelligent conversation with, maybe because I'm defining it. They'd probably say the same about me and maybe it's because we have different; views, goals and circumstances.

Somewhere I read that Hitler and Einstein had the same hapalog genotype and it's long been rumored that Hit's grandpa was Jewish, but other info contradicts that. In any case these were two very different men, one an obvious genius and quite human, the other the epitome of evil and a beast. The monster did his best to hide his roots, reportedly even ordering the town that held family records, to be used for artillery practice.

If there are unbiased IQ tests, it would be interesting to see the bell curves for different populations. There doesn't seem to be agreement on the availability of such a test and probably never will be agreement... even if such a test exists or is developed. Funny how; Jews, Koreans, Hong Kongsters, Japanese etc. score the highest, and sub-Saharan Africans the lowest. A google search shows Jews with an average of 113 and Equatorial Guineans with an average of 59. Of course a google search isn't 'definitive' but I did check several sources and found that the 59 figure is based on a 2002 book, *Wealth and the IQ of Nations* by Richard Lynn and Tatu Vanhanen. When they 'recalculated the data in their 2006 update, *IQ and Global Inequality*, they arrived at [equally abysmal figures](#): Sierra Leone (64), The Congo (65), Zimbabwe (66), Guinea (66), Nigeria (69), The Gambia (66), Senegal (66), Mozambique (64), Gabon (64), Central African Republic (64), Equatorial Guinea (59), Liberia (67), Lesotho (67), Angola (68), Niger (67), South Africa (72). [a rival study](#), led by Jelte M. Wicherts of The Netherlands, claimed a considerably higher average IQ for the Sub-Saharan region: 82. But even this lags excruciatingly far behind East Asia and the Western world. Why? <https://ieet.org/index.php/IEET2/print/5374>

Under [Francisco Macias](#), education was neglected, and few children received any type of education. Under President Obiang, the illiteracy rate dropped from 73% to 13%,<sup>[6]</sup> and the number of primary school students rose from 65,000 in 1986 to more than 100,000 in 1994. Education is free and compulsory for children between the ages of 6 and 14.<sup>[65]</sup>  
[https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Equatorial\\_Guinea](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Equatorial_Guinea)

IMO, new thoughts and ideas are more likely to come from our own 'distillation' of available human thoughts than from 'aliens' using us as conduits.

## **God and Religion**

**Psalm 50:10 'God owns the cattle on a thousand hills' ... I think the author, a man miscounted.**

'God himself is a society... For it is not well for God to be alone'... Chesterton

Don't know what God thinks of quitters... merciful comes to mind... obviously, it's His call.

**I agree with Mr. Ledger that this country can ban people for any reason it wants including religion... I also think that's a very slippery slope.**

**I believe in God, but bur don't claim to know his nature. Those who claim to are usually confusing and contradictory, borrowing from earlier cultures and making outrageous claims, often out of self-interest.**

So far, I haven't been; moderate, generous, honest or loyal enough, but I love and fear God... that's my testimony and life is my test.

Maybe God is or uses synchronicity.

If you quote the Stones, 'I watched with glee while your kings and queens fought for ten decades for the gods they made', you could be branded a heretic or worse.

I wonder why God allows people to suffer horribly with disfigurements, disease, violence and all the rest, some of them never hearing about his saving grace. Are they condemned to burn in hell? Some say they yes, others say no and I'm not sure who's right, if either. This question makes me question whether God exists, or is he an invention of those who need 'Him' in order to control the masses?

Maybe we're an artificial intelligence project of the Almighty, alien, or God knows who?

I believe in God because I want to, like the idea and think it's as logical as the evolving scientific theories. However, I have trouble believing in a God who punishes people eternally for not believing in a particular religion. That places me somewhere between agnostic and fundamentalist... it's 'the let's try to get along with each other' camp.

I can't keep thoughts from God even if I want to... so I say them out loud.

Pre-Constantine Christians could debate the divinity of Christ and everything else about the gospel, post Constantine they couldn't and at times paid with their lives for trying...

**Will we be resurrected or recycled? # just wondering.**

Are you New or Old Testament? I revere both but have to wonder if either's the absolute truth.

I find myself speaking with Jesus, the man upstairs, or whatever you want to call him every minute of every day because he hears me... no matter what I say.

The governor said we need to think of what's best for our country and I agree but there are things that *trump* that. For some it's God and I agree, for others it's family and I agree. Our country may or may not be *under God*, and isn't so kind to my family or people anymore. I've nothing against other families or people, but if the country is turning against ours I'm P'D.

I equally revere the; Old and the New Testament, Judaism ancient and modern, Christianity modern and pre-Con., was baptized, and I don't renounce other religions... what does that make me?

Feed them all and let God sort them out, is Jesus' teaching. So where did Bishop Arnaud Amalric get, 'kill them all and let God sort them out?' I suppose he was a pragmatist.

God comes first but it should be per your own fallible conscience, not someone else's.

Some loudly claim their loyalty is first to God then to spouse and kids. I agree God should be first on the list but think two and three are debatable.

If there is a God then certainly anyone's words that need to be heard, will be - if there is no God it doesn't matter... or does it?

When what you call God's law and the laws of nature come together in agreement, I'm very likely to agree too. When what you call God's law seems bizarre, I'm likely to be skeptical of it and the motives of those who 'recorded' it.

Not questioning God, questioning people who claim they're right about him and everyone else is wrong... maybe they're wrong

**Whether it's the Greek Pantheon of gods or the Christian God and the angels, our dilemmas provide them with entertainment. Men and women's different needs and greeds create the required drama.**

**In Greece the gods threw us bones and monkey wrenches to make things interesting. In Christianity, interest is created by sin and free will, or the devil makes us do it.**

## **Golden Rule 0.1**

"Workin in the field till you get your back burned. Workin 'neath the wheels till you get your facts learned. Baby I got my facts learned real good right now'... Bruce

Temper the golden rule with thoughts of what others *should* do unto us, instead of what we selfishly want them to.

The golden rule as God might/would direct, instead of as we selfishly desire. We're told the Bible tells us exactly how God want us to act... maybe that's true.

**I don't like being ridiculed or criticized nor do others like me to do it to them... # even Steven**

## **Good and Evil, US and Them...**

In Matthew 10:16, none other than Jesus Christ is purported to have said, 'I am sending you out like sheep among wolves. Therefore, be as shrewd as snakes and as innocent as doves.'

It's interesting that Jesus refers to a snake as shrewd (or wise in the KJV), instead of just evil. Today many people accept that snakes aren't so bad, what with eating rats and mice... but are doves innocent?

August 2017; Dateline - Lahore, Pakistan: a 12-Year-Old Christian Girl was reportedly drugged, Repeatedly Gang Raped and Forced to 'Convert' To Islam and Police Ignored it. We hear such reports only occasionally but I'm guessing they're often true... why do we ally ourselves with such societies? Strange bedfellows, enemies of my enemies are my friend and other circular reasoning may be to blame. Meanwhile, an untouchable woman moves from India to America and finds life much better...

Is there a God and a devil? There certainly could be although I've seen no absolute proof, 'just' compelling evidence and I have little *faith* in disciples of various religions who claim to know the 'truth' of the matter. I think there could be order in the universe as well as a propensity for disorder, aka chaos and there could be anything from a God in whose image we were created, all the way to *committees* or anything in between, or nothing at all...obviously I really don't know.

I am working under the hope if not the assumption that there is a God, even a personal God or a mechanism by which the positive order of the universe can be reached out to maybe even allied with (probably not harnessed), in a personal manner to protect us from that mechanism that is negative... maybe

One might call that negative force or mechanism entropy, *rust*, or for those with more vivid imaginations, or more superstitious beliefs, the devil. One 'problem' with calling aka 'naming' the devil is that the next step seems to be calling people who don't agree with you disciples of the 'devil'. Of course, there are some people who are purveyors of evil, or at least of varying degrees of negativity and they must be countered every step of the way to prevent them from harming others.

Who's *wicked or naughty*? I playfully, satirically use those words with my wife and kids, but they are the vernacular of extremists who are dead serious when they use them. They also want to decide who and how such words are used while others would regulate our speech in other ways. It is however a basic constitutional right for us to be able to use words the words we want, the way we want and if that means using them satirically to make a point so be it. The emptor however is that your pointed words may attract points of another kind so watch your back.

Everyone's a bit peculiar, a few are 'certifiable' and many *peculiars* are *mis* or over-diagnosed.

Were the people of the south fundamentally bad because there was slavery and the people of the north basically good because they were trying to get rid of it? I think it was a lot more nuanced than that.

Can the same be said about communism versus capitalism? And God forbid, what about the German soldiers who fought for Nazism... soldiers who were buried under crosses?

*Those with an extreme belief in aliens have turned their zeal into a religion, locking themselves into the position that all that's good and evil came from the cosmos. I wouldn't rule a lot of that out but believing that aliens put every good and bad ideas in our heads from fire to forge, diminishes humanity.*

'It is only the threat of repercussion and retaliation that stops people from doing even worse things than they do'...biological warfare scientist.

## Gossip

Were Albert and Adolf both descended from the same ancient hapalog aka bloodline called 'E1b1b1'? Look at their faces... The verdict is out and may never be in... aka gossip for the time being.

## Government

**'If government it's not pruned from time to time, it will grow and grow'... unknown**

If God wants us to become a cannibalistic hyena style society I'm all for it but I see no evidence for that, or that He wants us to remain a warmonger chimpanzee style society. We shouldn't trade one for another, we should reform both movements while wrestling power from the elites

and giving it to *the individual*... which doesn't mean to *the people* because when individuals become 'the people' power corrupts them. The masses should only marshal their power when individual rights need to be protected, or a nation needs to be defended... the masses should not avail themselves to special interests who would spend them for self-aggrandizement.

**I believe that many of these people are at war with us. I am not at war, I am on the defensive and unabashedly determined to 'do what I can' for our people. I will not aid and abet those who would destroy us.**

**Maybe I'd make some government babies like 'everyone else' ...if I could.**

The problem with "it's okay to be employed or governed by anyone as long as they don't 'rule' you", is that a paymaster or government official can easily become a ruler. It's similar to a *pure* democracy where the majority can sabotage even an ironclad constitution.

I could say every government stinks so just put up with whatever you have but in reality we should try to improve the one we have. We should also avoid the really bad ones like the plague, resist and if necessary fight them tooth and nail. No matter what make the best of things because there will always be some trouble brewing and we must go on.

## **Greed**

"I always thought this would be the land of milk and honey Oh but I came to find out that it's all hate and money'... Blind Melon

## **Green Acres!**

Just picked our last heirloom tomato of the year... it was on the ground, covered by leaves, a little worse for wear possibly still delicious.

Our neighborhood, 'Sergeant at Arms', blew the Pine needles onto our driveway as a reminder that our tree's clogging the sewer, so I raked them up. Being a windy day the garbage can blew over just as I was depositing the first shovel full of needles. Was I being spanked or was someone telling me there's a better way to fill the can? Turns out the snow shovel easily pushed the needles into the can... no lifting involved. Now I just have to decide if I throw a half a garbage can of Pine needles in the fire pit where it will stay wet all winter or leave it for the garbageman who may not want to deal with it I will do the latter I have but worse than that in the trash and they've never complain I like those guys and wish them well. Related note... the snow shovel worked much better than a rake in clearing the office parking lot of wet leaves 😊

Why's this guy 'Rick' always selling firewood?

## **Group Think**

They like to use the term sociopath for people who don't want to be cogs in the wheel. Not wanting to be a cog shouldn't be a crime, it's a streak of independence and was valued until the American Psychiatric Society or whoever deemed it deviant behavior. Unless you're violating other people's rights in a fairly direct manner, you shouldn't be labeled a sociopath.

Liberate me liberate you doesn't mean *I'll simply follow my instincts*, it just means I won't automatically assume they're wrong like *I'm supposed to*.

**Does 'overwhelming consensus' mean that something's true? I don't think so, not automatically anyway... be it economics, religion or anything else.**

So, Facebook sells our information and in March 2018 their stock supposedly dropped as a result. The sheeple don't care, we want to be cared for cradle to grave and if we're given bread circus and social media we won't rebel... just gripe.

## **Guilt**

'Shame is a rich man's emotion, I can barely afford embarrassment'... Alan Harper

**If you make a mistake and others are involved do your best to rectify without injuring them. If they were complicit they bare commensurate responsibility, innocent bystanders do not.**

**With political correctness you have to be very careful what you say about the other sex. I agree society must provide women powerful safeguards against rape, domestic violence and violence of all types, in fact everyone deserves that. Allegations should be taken deadly serious and the guilty punished to the full extent of the law, but the veracity of the charges must be taken into account as well. The quantity of charges as in Cosby's case should not be the determining factor, it should be the quality of the charges. I believe Cosby is a serial rapist monster and should be severely punished if convicted, and that may only be possible if the statute of limitations and other legal loopholes that protect offenders are reformed.**

**Laws should also protect people from character assassination or worse by groups that can muster numerous false accusations. The courts know this and I think evaluate veracity as much as the number of accusations... I hope PC'ness doesn't change that.**

## **Happiness**

'The heart is happiest when the brain and the hands work together'... Jay Leno

**No one will ever be totally happy, so stop trying to prescribe or legislate contentment by pills and bills.**

## **Homo habilis (aka "Handy-man**

**Why is it that I always find what I was looking for yesterday today?**

Tools are crazy, today I tripped over the long cord that helped me by reaching a distant spot yesterday.

The TV stand might take me a couple hours to put together as I tend to put things together backwards before putting them together forward. This may result calling the help-desk followed by disassembling and starting over again. That's why I hope Sonny does it for a good flat rate. He may want the money and I certainly don't need the aggravation.

I'm learning how to use a bandsaw, like not to push too hard or it bogs, which reminds me of learning how to keep a cigar on fire... someone said this applies to your lover.

Making cutting boards and cleavers is my equivalent of a woman's knitting and quilting... though my wife does neither 😊

If no one else does it, I'll fix the windows before winter comes, and there are other things to do before the winter of my life... if no one else does.

Don't do your thinking on a ladder...

## **Haters, Sickos and Sociopaths**

It's fine to 'turn the other cheek', just don't turn your back.

## **Healing and health**

The cure for cancer, hmmm where did we leave it? Was it; Auschwitz, Dresden, Hiroshima, Cambodia, Siberia, Rwanda, or somewhere else where 'non-combatants' were killed in huge numbers.

Our bodies are an ecosystem... yikes!

How do you make healthcare more affordable? How about making hypochondriacs and people who don't take care of themselves pay through the nose? And make health insurance and pharmaceutical companies responsible to society not just to enriching CEO's and major shareholders.

**The interviewee taking pain killers and anti-depressants said several things that caught my attention; one was that opioids make it possible for her to get around the kitchen without holding onto a chair (side note; she's obese.) Assuming she's as sick as she claims, she really may need disability but she's 'receiving' that money, not 'making' it as she erroneously or Freudian slip stated...**

Vitamins and supplements for wellness and mental health? Maybe, but unless one suffers from Scurvy or Rickets, the jury's still out on their effectiveness.

**Sometimes I just wash my hands with residual soap... ☺**

There are things they keep from us like itches and pelvic collapse, monthly maintenance etc. There's also childbirth and its potential complications but somehow, they live years longer than men. I don't think they're being punished for the *serpent incident* but it seems women believe the story more than men. That just adds to their mystery, or maybe helps explain it.

There's a shortage of BCG for bladder cancer, people may die and those that get it pay hundreds of dollars a dose. It's also used for pediatric TB in the third world where children from often large families with irresponsible parents get BCG for free... someday millions of them will come here to *show their appreciation*...

The Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation is listed by WHO/UNICEF as a consultant for the BCG vaccine program. As consultants I wonder if they buy vaccine for the poor, or instead are paid to lobby for American taxpayers to foot the bill? Caveat emptor, many American's would gladly pay and some would not,

Hurricane Harvey showed the vulnerability of the poor, as they are 'over-represented' as usual in the aid centers. They are more likely to have large families and more health issues like obesity, diabetes and mental illness. They're also more likely to be working in dangerous or monotonous low paying jobs, which aren't conducive to healthy lifestyles. Many came here illegally or are the descendants of slaves and I stand by my claim that many have slightly lower IQ's than the 'average' American but also tend to be more athletic. Maybe the man upstairs

wants us to *come together* and form of physically, stronger mentally weaker population... and maybe not. This leaves me with the belief that we owe our brethren, equality, a hand-up an occasional hand-out but not the farm.

## **Heaven**

**"I can hear a heavenly band of angels and they're coming to set me free"... James Taylor**

If we download ourselves into robots we might live forever, and though better than our decaying human bodies, being a robot doesn't sound as good as the spirit bodies they have in heaven.

Heaven must be a great uber-utopia compared to the rest of the world, where if you come dismantle your nukes you're vulnerable, if they get old they lose their deterrent because people can shoot them down. If we flee to the heavens to 'get away from it all' we'll still encounter or be followed by 'hostiles.'

**In heaven they say there's stuff that's even better than sex but what could it possibly be? Maybe it's praising God like they say... I guess that doesn't cause STDs.**

I'm not sure, do Jews who believe in heaven seem to try to get there by acts and works? My Christian friends try to get there by the grace of God, belief in Jesus and acts and good works thrown in for good measure. We all miss the mark but at least they're trying. Atheists, agnostics and many others don't believe in heaven, or *aren't sure* but many still seem to be trying to end up somewhere good, usually by good works and that's fine too. The problem with 'good works' is they sometimes conflict with those of others.

**Maybe you're rewarded with heaven for efforts... on earth rewards are traditionally commensurate with results. Some would change that...**

**I pray to be raptured, go to heaven and be given an incorruptible spirit body, instead of being left behind under horrible circumstances. If not raptured I hope by the grace of God to survive and pass our genes to a new generation which may *do the right thing* and benefit from the advancement of human values and technologies. What I don't want is to be stuck here and suffer under even more oppressive, tyrannical 'masters' and God forbid there be another dark age...**

Is there a rule that people in heaven can't look down on their loved ones when they're in the bathroom or bedroom? ...Just wondering.

*I doubt anyone gets to heaven by giving away the farm... especially someone else's.*

**'Earth is a task garden; heaven is a playground'... G.K. Chesterton**

'Jesus gonna make up... Jesus gonna make you my dyin' bed  
Oh, Saint Peter, at the gates of heaven... Won't you let me in  
I never did no harm. I never did no wrong  
Oh, Gabriel, let me blow your horn. Let me blow your horn  
Oh, I never did, did no harm.  
Oh, I did somebody some good. I must have did somebody some good...  
Oh, I believe I did  
I see the smiling faces  
I know I must have left some traces' ... Zeppelin

## **Hell**

Is there a devil? There's certainly a devil in the details, usually resulting from haste, carelessness, inexperience etc. Is there a cloven footed, goat headed, fallen angel with a nasty attitude and a bifurcated tail? I wouldn't be surprised either way.

**I don't like it when religionists say, 'you're going to hell', but it's a free country, and *most* of them don't like being called religious crazies...**

**If it seems the universe is against us, maybe it's 'just' haste and lack of preparation. Or as many claim, maybe it's the devil... maybe Siri's in that camp.**

They say God has decreed that many will go to hell for not agreeing with a particular version of the vision. God's credibility is perfect ours is not, we lie, bully, favor, condition and situational so much that our credibility should be almost zilch. No group or person is much more honorable, trustworthy, fair or compassionate than anyone else. Caveats like 'not better, just better off' sound like Madison Ave. sloganeering and the sad thing is it works!

## **Heresy**

Of course I shouldn't say God D' it, I have no right to ask God to damn anyone or anything, I should and must refrain. God help me and brain please start helping not hurting!

## **Heroes**

“Did they get you to trade

Your heroes for ghosts?

Hot ashes for trees?

Hot air for a cool breeze?”... Pink Floyd

It's happening, black politicians say change the names of these parks from that of confederate heroes to African-American heroes like Harold Washington yikes

Hero of the week John Adams founding father I can't find much negative stuff about him except for what Tom said about him during their feuding period... which isn't to say he was without fault...

I do not want to live in a hero centric society that worships; athletes, celebrities, politicians or anyone else... admiration should be enough.

Hero of the week Yogi Berra... quite the smitty.

Tom Petty died the day after the 2017 Vegas massacre so he didn't get much coverage, kind of like Robert Mitchum, who died the same day as Jimmy Stewart... #overshadowed.

I wish Oprah good health but limited future success... she's done *enough* already...

In the movie 'Hondo', Indians drop like flies as the cowboys shot straight and true. John Wayne holds the reins in one hand and his saddle horn with the other. Then they cut away to his double riding with great skill. There are unsung heroes and there's the Hollywood variety... not that John Wayne couldn't have kicked my butt☺

Current *compasses*; Abe, Mose, Sol, Jesus, Amenope, Franklin, Washington, Jefferson, Adams and Aesop... all imperfect... except maybe one... can I say that?

'Don't start chasing applause and acclaim, that way lies madness'... Ron Swanson

## **History**

'History means nothing'...Carl Marx. He was wrong and nefarious at that...

History variously rhymes, repeats and retweets.

I don't know what's the future holds but hope it isn't the *same old, same old*.

Neither dwell on the past nor expunge it as some conveniently might have you do. Years of abuse shouldn't be swept under the rug. History not hysterics... liberate you liberate me, success on your dime not mine.

*Admittedly, lots of great ideas have already been delivered going back to the Bible and beyond. There's also not much new under the sun, but there are good ideas and new things happening all the time. We can learn from the past without deferring entirely to its sages.*

*Accusations of 'you just want a legacy'... there's nothing wrong with it, it's none of their business and secondly if we all thought like them, nothing new would ever be written. They would have no ideas expressed that don't fit or come out of their box. I agree that the ancients had great ideas and covered a lot of ground but some of those ideas need to be; analyzed anew and a few need amending, correction or in a few cases trashing.*

Ebb and flow, wax and wane, rise and fall... such is the history and plight of nations, individuals and species...

History buffs may know that sometimes weirdness happens and sometimes it don't.

'History is defined by those events we didn't see coming'...Neil Cavuto

## **Holidays**

"God bless us everyone"... Tiny Tim

Christmas involves religionism based on superstition and false facts like, when and where Jesus may have been born. Then there's commercialism based on buy, buy, buy and peer pressure to observe the holiday *the right way*. On the plus side families get together which is great, so let's try making it a happy time for everyone... not a time to enrich moguls and call non-conformists Scrooge.

It's the Christmas program and once again I'm unhappy at this *microcosm of society* church...

January 9th and the pretty ladies are showing a little more belly. Like most of us they've put on a few holiday pounds and their tight clothes are showing it. It diminishes their air of invincibility and I'm able to see similarities to the grannies... # grannies in training

Many have been cooking and baking for friends as they prefer that *currency* when possible...

'Funny' how through the pretext of Santa Claus we enrich the moguls and most still believe Christmas is Jesus's birthday... I'm not saying don't celebrate, just suggesting that a few more people might want to study the subject.

'Many countries share the tradition of wearing a certain color of underwear on New Year's Eve for specific kinds of luck. Red underwear brings love, white means a peaceful year, and gold brings money'...Pioneer Telephone

## **Hollywood**

"It's understood that Hollywood sells Californication"...the Chili's

## **(Un) Holy Wars**

## **Improvement**

## **Hometown...**

## **Homosexuality**

## **Househole Matters**

Clothes seem to appear in my closet out of the blue but really my wife puts them there... unless they're weird I put them on.

Some of my wife's laundry is baffling and would take a long time to figure out how to hang, sometimes it goes up *any old way*.

Has anyone else had a celery cut? It's kinda like a paper-cut but usually under a nail... who would have thunk it possible 😊

It's a little thing but why does the plug always go in the outlet backwards or upside down? Like inside out clothes from the dryer... it adds up over time.

## **Human Nature**

**'Man seems to be capable of great virtues but not of small virtues; capable of defying his torturer but not of keeping his temper'... G.K. Chesterton**

There're a lot of things we can say but, 'you're not too bright', isn't one of them... understandably it'll get you in trouble.

Threats and ultimatums may be nothing but *loose talk* but how is *the target* to know? They become seared into one person's brain and soul while the other may forgot even saying them.

If you're disrespected it's probably because you've 'allowed' yourself to be. If you're dissed or marginalized, it could be from personal weakness, or from the 'system', or from people here or long gone. The reason's not as relevant as is your decision to resist and turn things around as best you can.

Those who marginalize and minionize aren't necessarily bad, they're most likely opportunists playing favorable hands, which is human nature. Unless they enslave, are violent or abuse in earnest, they can be handled and if they're guilty of the above they should be dealt with 'accordingly.'

We are what we are, therefore we miss the mark.

We are not sheep, if we were we wouldn't be the planet's dominant species ... nor are we wolves.

**Most quid pro quos are non-sexual but a few are, so get over it, object or feel free to be a pro-quo denier.**

Funny how the people who say there're no quid pro quos use them right and left.

**There are lots of quid pro quos out there ~ most aren't sexual but some are ... get over it.**

The quid pro quo is a lot more complicated than just sex, it's extensive...

Stinking thinking isn't our only problem but it's a big one...

**Of course some are greater givers and some are greater takers but IMO everyone's looking for a quid pro quo either here or in the afterlife. We are all givers of inches and takers of miles...**

**They are what they are and we are what we are... which means we're no better than they, but I'm happy to say I'd rather remain more like 'us.' By the same token, I am what I am and you are what you are, my dear.**

**Most people are as jolly as can be when they get their way, and not when they're not.**

**Can you do your thing and let us do ours? Great...**

I'm a contradiction, we all are'... Lord Glendenning

## **Humility...**

'The loser now will be later to win for the times they are changing'.... Bobby D. Kind of relates to Luke 14:11 and other scrips.

'For those who exalt themselves will be humbled, and those who humble themselves will be exalted'... Matthew 23:12. Not the exact verse I was looking for but it's close, like Jerry said, 'even Steven.' The rule can apply anywhere in the world, anytime in history.

## Humor

There are different kinds of jokes, some self-deprecating, some clever and some mean. We don't have to like the mean ones but I guess we have to put up with them.

I think I've been *infected* by the "Breedlove wicked streak.' After all we've consorted and swapped spit for years... I've been infiltrated and so has she ☺

## Hypocrisy?

The human race is made up of kettles and pots and our favorite word is black.

I hear that Islam condones dirty tricks because the 'end justifies the means' and think that's true. Officially Christianity disallows that but I encounter those who do it and others who wink and nod, or turn a blind eye. The end justifying the means is in our DNA as it is in every species but we're the only one that understands that we should do better.

With notable exceptions Christian invaders are unlikely to use mass rape to ethnically cleanse and change demographics than other invaders.

I've yet to meet anyone who isn't a rank-and-file hypocrite when it comes to politics. We give our politicians passes and blame theirs for doing the exact same things.

*I distain the clean the outside of the cup and throw the first stone crowd.  
They're quick to call foul and blasphemy while they vote to bomb  
people...*

Some people ask others, 'are you religious, or are you spiritual?' The ramification being that one is more legitimate than the other. It can turn into name calling with proponents of each one considering the other antiquated, illegitimate or hypocritical. It's not worth arguing about, both are equally *legitimate*.

## Idealism

There's a problem with the *good old* Protestant work ethic. Many westerners, be they Protestant, Catholic or Jewish ironically end up being 'good Germans' aka mindlessly listening to and working hard to fulfill cult leaders' marching orders. They're determined to *give away the farm*, but they also want comfort and riches so it's usually someone else's farm they give away. That's a problem because 'someone else' doesn't want to give it away so it must be taken.

## Immigration

'We don't believe in live and let live, we believe in live and help live'... Rabbi Solomon Schiff

In theory, that's fine. I vote for 'let live' because 'help live' tends to require picking winners and losers... arguably, that's not our job. If you can *help live* at no expense to others great, if not you could be meddling.

This is the main thing I agreed with Trump about... if a country loses control of its border its likely to go down-hill fast. It's fantastic to 'help live', as long as no one's being forced to chip in, because not everyone can agree on who needs help and who needs to try harder and maybe even get off their behind. It's the old 'picking winners' dilemma. There are hundreds of millions of people south of the border who'd like to live in the U.S.A... and hundreds of millions elsewhere in the world who want to move here... it's a fool's errand to take them all in.

Freedom of Association, hand ups, not handouts, border control, and sensible immigration, not activist Emma Lazarus's political poem on the Statue of Liberty. We should follow what is best for the future of the country not for special interest groups.

The constitution should make immigration a federal responsibility that states can't trump. States should have control within their borders, up to and including what their taxpayers pay for.

Heinz 57's fine as fine can be... as long as some aren't given an unfair advantage via; money, rioting, *cutting in line* etc.

Immigration and DACA, shouldn't allow *illegals* in ahead of people who've taken the legal route. DACA's should be given a chance based on merit including their level of education, resources they bring with them and skills they have that are in short supply here. The other part of the merit 'equation' should be how much taxpayer money they and their parents have taken, compared to how much they've paid in taxes. If the ratio is unfavorable they should be cut off from future 'benefits' and in extreme cases, they and their parents should have to re-pay society for those benefits. Chain migration and 14<sup>th</sup> amendment should be revised to disallow 'anchor babies', and those seeking political asylum should be much more thoroughly vetted to weed out pretenders.

They say we need immigration to keep the economy growing but IMO it's also to increase the number of Democrat voters. The need for low skilled labor is being greatly reduced by automation so most low skilled, will be candidates for a SNAP, Medicaid and maybe Zuckie's guaranteed income.

## Infinity, Eternity...

### Instinct

I'm not saying I should let my instincts run wild but neither should yours go unchecked.

~~Sometimes instinctive behavior makes perfect sense for you but conflicts with someone else's interest. Other times instinctive behavior doesn't even make sense for you. In any case there's usually someone else trying to make that decision for you.~~

It doesn't go all the way back to our monkey days... it goes much further.

What if all our deep thoughts are just instinct... just the *gods* having a little fun with us?

And will technology and quantum physics save us, or are they just plums and carrots dangled in front to see if we'll use them for good or bad ?

Most people think their instincts are pure and noble and that other's instincts are misguided. Everyone's instincts are self-centered and designed to *improve our chances* ... none of us are as noble as we think.

We must overcome our own instincts not just those of other people. Ours are not 'holier than thou's' despite laws that might say they are. It's another example of the folly of *pure* democracy, a majority led by elitist cliques imposes its will on everyone.

**So, you never practice situational ethics?... do you wash your hands every single time you pee?**

Animals instinctively know their young need help. Humans know this instinctively and through the *thought process*, that same process informs us that old people also need help. Animals are less likely to expend resources on their *old* members because *biologically* there's less reason to than in human society, perhaps leading to their being less instinct for them to do so. Through the thought process humans have learned that the aged can contribute and the aged have figured out how to make themselves useful and how to control resources... therefore they have a role in most societies.

Ever notice kids often don't like their step-parents and vice versa... could there be an instinctive component to it?

I admit to practicing situational ethics and I'm pretty sure those around me do it too. As far as I can tell there's not much wrong with that *instinct* but when we're peacefully straightforward it's even better...

**Women will 'do almost anything' to provide for their kids, or to land a lover. So will men but we're probably less likely to do that solely for the kids... does that make men's 'almost anything' worse?**

I'm not going to abandon my instincts because someone decides theirs are right and mine are wrong... that's nonsense. When our instincts coincide it's usually for a good reason, when they don't, 'all bets are off' and probably a good time to stand your ground...liberate you, liberate me - you ding, I ding.

**Women are programmed to 'do what they do', even if they're not doing it for the kids... it's the wiring. IMO men are different, not better... different wire.**

"It's funny, I used to be so concerned with who I was and what I wanted to be, and now that I have access to the furthest reaches of my brain I see things clearly and realize that what makes us 'us' — it's primitive. They're all obstacles. Does that make any sense?"... Lucy

The maternal instinct when not express traditionally often turns inward to self-absorbency or outward to public service.

There's nothing wrong with liberation as long as everyone's liberated. We mustn't liberate some and indenture others. One group's 'instincts' and desires must not dominate another's. If we can't coexist we must resist.

**When I'm feeling down after watching the morning news, I look at the pretty weather girl and feel better. It's an instinct I enjoy and am grateful for.**

Is the human brain binary like a computer? Does it work in 'one's and zeros' too? If so and if computers can turn 'one's and zeros' into complicated calculations and eventually arrive at artificial intelligence why couldn't human thought have evolved in a similar way? Would such a *menia*/thought process mean we're incapable of advanced altruism thinking, and only act in our own self-interest? IMO it doesn't mean that at all, it's just that the mechanisms by which both basic and contemplative thoughts arise may be at their core very simple. Even bugs might use a binary form of thought but in their case there's no need for anything more than basic, instinctive thoughts.

About the only thing that *trumps* cult indoctrination and brainwashing is instinct. Evidence that it's stronger, is how *when push comes to shove* cultists ignore what they've been taught and rely on their instincts.

## **Intervention**

**'George Bush but has no earthly idea if he's coming or going just like when he was president'...Steve Bannon**

**Being neither isolationist nor interventionist IMO interventionists are the real globalists. They want to intervene, interfere and get involved everywhere. Non-interventionists just want free, fair trade as people have for eons**

Believe in non-intervention abroad and focusing on our problems instead. Invest in medical care for taxpayers including subsidies for truly needy citizens. Invest in curing cancer and the myriad of other diseases Americans suffer from. Sell balms not bombs. 'Perfect' missile defense and other necessary defenses, increase our capacity to inflict MAD on aggressors, hermetically seal our borders and deport illegals unless they can prove positive intent and potential. If aggressors know we can utterly destroy them, they'll be unlikely to attack us. Protect our technology and intellectual property from foreign theft.

## **Irony**

The Greek' s wrote plays called *tragedies* which were orchestrated by the gods, we seem to be going down that same route. The human drama occurring on earth seems incredible and I wonder if we' re doing this ourselves, or is it orchestrated from above, so God and his buddies have a 'good show' to watch? There are so many sides, factions, complication, complications, seemingly conflicting interests and monkey wrenches thrown into the works that humankind never seems to find its footing.

**Funny how the same peeps who call you cheap are so generous with OPM... not theirs.**

*Strange bedfellows* isn't just in politics, they're a fact of life everywhere...

## **Israel**

## **Japan**

**A major difference between Japan and China is that Japan gave up its dreams of world domination a long time ago... China hasn't.**

# Jefferson, Thomas...

## Jihad and Crusade

### Judging Each Other

'Judge not, that ye be not judged. For with what judgment ye judge, ye shall be judged'...  
Matthew 7:1-3

"I have a dream that my four little children will one day live in a nation where they will not be judged by the color of their skin, but by the content of their character" ... Martin Luther King, Jr.

Does Dr. King's dream that peeps be judged by the content of their character not the color of their skin mean that quotas and affirmative-action are bad? Some would say they're necessary in order to make up for past injustices.... hmmm

Jesus' statement is profound and Dr. King's *dream* is good advice. Dr. King may be suggesting or acknowledging that people do judge each other. IMO, judging, evaluating and comparing; doctors, mechanics, friends, family, business associates etc. is a survival tactic. Why wouldn't we judge and compare if we want good service, relations etc. Maybe Jesus was warning us not to get carried away???

Do you think King didn't mean judge in the traditional sense, do you parse his words differently? We can split hairs and say judge doesn't mean judge or admit that people judge each other. IMO there's nothing wrong with doing so with compassion, and minimal moralizing.

Why are humans judgmental? Rearing, religion and human nature play their parts and the more judgmental those things are, well you know.

If you're concerned about how your peeps judge you, it will always be a losing proposition unless you 'cave.'

So, what's better... turn the other cheek and give them your jacket, or you ding I ding I think it's in between especially if someone is abusing those fine principals.

Though it's not for us to judge other's intentions, there're times when for everyone's good we have to make calls and do so as honestly and impartially as we can.

I don't so much mind being judged, it's the consequences of being judged by the powerful  
I don't care for.

I hate to say it but if there was a contest giving prizes for all the things we dislike about humans  
we'd all be in the running... unless we had the only vote.

Is not approving the same as disapproving, or is it splitting hairs

Human race we're just a bunch of crazies but we're all we got.

## **Karma**

'An eye for an eye and a tooth for a tooth and eventually everyone's blind and toothless'...

Gandhi

Be strong, peace loving and guilt free.

Mantra - get through the day in one piece.

When things are going right I shouldn't assume that it's due to 'good clean living' but I should try those anyway.

*We try to figure out why some people get their comeuppance and attribute it to their nefarious and sundry sins, as in maybe they had it coming for this that or the other thing. We think we're at least a little holier, hoping and praying that we'll be spared but secretly worrying that God might spank us... it's karma, human nature and religion.*

Be kind and sensitive... as well as assertive.

You're fine and we're fine. I may not be anything to write home about but I'm grateful, love my peeps, and hope everyone gets out of here alive.

'There is no pillow so soft as a clear conscience'... Anonymous

## **LGBT (QRSTLMNOP)**

The ban on transgender soldiers is attacked by the PCP because they say the surgery cost the military only \$ 8.4 million a year. I think their goal as usual is to mainstream transgenderism in their pursuit of special status for LGBTQ (WXYZ) people at the expense of traditional heterosexual values, which their leaders would like to consign to the dust bin of history. I hope the pendulum gives them a good spanking...

**HLN's Lynn Smith tells of Nancy Pelosi being a guest judge on 'RuPaul's Drag Queen' and laugh, laugh, laughs as she *reports* it. If the same story was on FOX News it would be in a more somber tone... both are trying to advance their agendas. Did Smith's prompter tell her to laugh or was that her own reaction?**

The cereal box featuring an *Ellen* picture say's 'Make good go round' and 'share the good.' Am I nuts to think it's intent is to further main stream LGBT... are they not teaching our kids that gay is normal and good and other opinions must be bad?

LGBT'S shouldn't be harassed, persecuted or prosecuted for their beliefs or lifestyle but their attempts to further mainline them should be fervently resisted. LBGT'S etc. shouldn't interpret the constitution for straights. Let them live in their own separate communities if that's what they want.

## **Language, Buzzwords and “New speak”**

2017 Buzzwords:

Binary

Singularity

Echo chamber

Bitcoin

Circular reporting

**binary choice**

Activist Investor

Strategic Patience

The Road to Serfdom

## **Cognitive dissidence**

Duality

Extra Territorial

Asymmetrical Warfare

Repeal and Replace

‘AI’

Collusion

Connections or not

Prude... prudent

Angst... anxious, anxiety

**I've noticed that generation X'ers often say, 'you as well', instead of, 'you too'... okay...**

|f| respond to potential renters emails based on their names, |'m a bad person... but being ripped off repeatedly can make you get that way.

Names mean something... Trump, Corker, Flack... the three men are tangling and | wonder if their names have anything to do with their positions etc.

## **Law and Order**

**‘... the curtness of the Ten Commandments is an evidence, not of the gloom and narrowness of a religion, but, on the contrary, of its liberality and humanity. It is shorter to state the things forbidden than the things permitted: precisely because most things are permitted, and only a few things are forbidden’... G.K. Chesterton**

I wonder if lawyers make more money drawing up wills, or litigating them later on?  
Actually, I don't wonder.

**Does it boil down to whether Jesus was right or wrong, and does it even matter? I think it does and also matters whether what he taught was perfection, and it's relevant whether or not his teachings contradicted the old testament despite him saying, 'one jot or one tittle shall in no wise pass from the law, till all be fulfilled.' Did he re-fine, re-interpret or amend Jewish law, and if so, was it in a new and better way?**

It doesn't matter if your ancestors came on slave ships, the Mayflower, Queen Mary or a jet... everyone deserves equality and little else. As for immigrants crossing the border, we can't let Mexico decide who gets in... they would flood the gates and let everyone come here but we have to be ruled by our laws, not their corruption. If we let those cutting the line immigrate and make those obeying the law wait forever then we have caved in the most dismal sense of the word.

**TV commercial for the Jewish station, Jason Alexander said 'why do I watch this, because it's the law.' In a funny way it might be true, the Jewish people are 'people of the law'...arguably a very legalistic people.**

**Israel which claims to be God's chosen people and to believe in God's law has a new law making it harder for Palestinians to claim Jerusalem territory. God passes his laws and people pass laws of their own mostly to help themselves...is that God's will, and is it ironic or logical that the Jewish people probably have the most lawyers per capita in the world?**

Neither sex should rule or subjugate the other but *pure* democracy fosters that. Those who make laws and govern are beholden to the largest voting blocks, and that majority is female both in numbers and turnout. Even if women were equally divided by party loyalty it wouldn't matter, it would just mean that both or all parties are beholden to them. As usual people may have to fight for their rights, it's usually men fighting men and it will probably be the same this time. Men will be recruited by both sides to kill for the competing ideologies and women will swell the ranks especially on the nanny state side. Some men will fight for the nanny state for money, others for that ideology and some for the sense of duty or to uphold oaths they've taken.

So who's the help mate, and is this what you signed up for? My way or the highway, years of house arrest, threats, ultimatums and walking on eggshells. In other words, the catbird seat's the catbird seat and the law's

an ass. Proposed solution: tweakage not destruction... let's see what happens.

## Leaders

It's not just birds and the bees that swarm, so do humans when we blindly follow leaders down ruinous paths.

## Love

'I've seen your flag on the marble arch

And love is not a victory march

It's a cold and it's a broken Hallelujah'... Leonard Cohen

I'm not into eugenics and don't believe anyone's inferior, nor am I ashamed of being interested in ancestry and blood lines, be it ever so humble. I Love life, people, the planet and the universe - that's why we persevere... # 'broadly Caucasian (aka Heinz 57)

There's the Master's plan and there are all kinds of *master plans* with a little 'm.' Not saying I'm an expert, just saying we may be on different paths...peace be with you.

Our paths crossed long ago, now they may be diverging... my heart is breaking but I will always love you - thy will be done.

It's a free country and you're an adult...

If something's fated or ordained by God I'm for it. If it's the hand of peeps I may not.

'The Bible tells us to love our neighbors, and also to love our enemies: probably because they are generally the same people'... G.K. Chesterton

**Kids, I love you more than anything in the world but you can no more be my conscience than I be yours.**

The problem with love at first sight is it usually only affects one party.

**Watching the middle-aged couples walking on the beach I wonder why we put up with each other... we have to, want to, need to, love to, like to... take your pick.**

**Thousands are rushing home at 80 miles an hour to see the one's they love... but are those the only ones they're thinking of?**

Humans like primates often base their societies on bullying, intimidation and violence

Other societies start with love and end with intimidation, because you have to 'join the club' to be accepted and protected.

I think you were both incredibly capable and I would like to help you if you want help that she been your goals, but it will not be exactly on your terms however I can't wait forever or maybe I can and maybe I will because I love you more and more each day that is the conundrum.

**Things that people substitute for physical intimacy; drugs, alcohol, food, pets and public service. That's their right but I think they're making a big mistake...**

**People jealously guard their lover's affection because no matter what age we are we're concerned that another person usually; younger, richer or better looking is lurking in the shadows ready to steal our lover away, leaving us heartbroken and destitute.**

**I can think of several women who if interested I would be putty in their hands, fortunately they aren't.**

You may also have to be a minion, because you can't have more than one cook in the kitchen, there's too much competition for the pretty girls, and the girls compete too, for desirable men and sometimes for pretty girls.

Love at first sight is like movies that make us cry... sometimes we're duped by the special effects.

Hey darling what do you want me to nibble on... I love you so let me know ☺

It's one thing to love your enemy, it's another to roll over.

"My baby takes the morning train he works from 9 to 5 and then he takes another train back home and find me waiting there for him"... Sheena Easton. There's nothing wrong with that traditional view, but is it the only valid one? Millions of people think not.

People talk about love but want it framed and delivered only in the context, style and form they endorse... typically a fairly traditional form.

*God made woman irresistible but he also made her irascible... anything else would take the fun out of Him and his friends looking down and enjoying the mess we make of things.*

*What's this love business they dwell on? There's infatuation, more realistic 'business' as usual love when the honeymoon's over, love for one's mom, dad (sometimes) and kids and there's agape love... but mostly there seems to be the 'business' variety.*

**'Love can happen one time and last for a lunchtime'... not Titanic**

**'Love can happen one time and lapse for a lunch time'... not Titanic**

*'She swore that she would be all mine and love me till the end, but when I whispered in her ear I lost another friend'...Zep*

**'The way to love anything is to realize that it might be lost.**  
G.K. Chesterton Love

## **Loyalty and Trust**

"A man must learn to trust before he can be trusted"... The Great Wall

Many people feel they must be loyal to something other than God, family and friends... for example to; party, ideology or theology. I believe in loyalty to God, family and friends but not to a slave to the last two.

**I'm always amazed at how distrustful women are of men, maybe it's an evolutionary response to their needs and our *track record*.**

They say, 'trust but verify', because the sad truth is, given enough time anyone could betray you. Is that paranoia? Only if carried to extremes just like suspicion and judging. 'Betrayers' aren't necessarily cruel they might just be looking out for their own interests like everyone else. We are all human and betrayal, like so many things is in the eye of the beholder.

I don't demand loyalty and hope for fairness not entitlement, anyway, respect should be earned...in many cases I've failed to do that

I don't trust the Republican cabal much more, if any, than the Democratic one and don't agree with enough of their policies to give them my undivided loyalty... # independent

'If loyalty isn't absolute then it is worthless'... Jonas Franks

## **Machismo?**

**'Oh, who's to blame, that girl's just insane.**

**Well nothing I do don't seem to work,**

**It only seems to make matters worse'...Stones**

## **Masters of the Universe**

'I carry twenty-three great wounds, all got in battle. Seventy-five men have I killed with my own hands in battle. I scatter, I burn my enemies' tents. I take away their flocks and herds. The Turks pay me a golden treasure, yet I am poor! Because I am a river to my people!' ... Auda abu Tayi

I don't know exactly what to think about Trump but I do know what to think about; Gates, Bezos, Zuckerberg, Soros and that crew.

It's great to give someone the shirt off your back but wrong to force your neighbor to, which is a pet project of social engineers everywhere.

Instead of scheming to advance the careers of chosen politicians, Facebook and Google should help monitor nuts like the Florida shooter, they could help take them down instead of taking down our country.

I suppose the elites might *unite us* and kick these cans down the road for a while... the usual trick is declaring a new enemy an existential threat...

I'm not on the same page as our; moms, pops and sibs but respect their opinions. Like anyone smart or other 'wise' none of us are always right... not by any stretch of the imagination.

Meanwhile; Zuck, Bezos, Gates and Soros who certainly have higher IQs than most people may be wiser too...or not.

**01.24.18: 7:00AM Larry (Fink\$) and Lloyd (Blankfein\$) appear back to back on Bloomberg at Davos... Trump's arriving later today. Where are the other *masters*; Bezos, Zuck, Gates, Buffet etc? Minutes later, it's Billy Gates speaking about fighting malaria. He also says Apple issues bonds which Microsoft buys and vice versa ... when asked about DACA and he talks about the great progress being made in Africa. It's his favorite cause and he'll save as many Africans as he can... These illuminatis were often the so-called bullied meek in school, they bid their time and now are captains of industry and masters of the universe. They will destroy those who abused them, which is overkill but pales in comparison to what they'll do the rest of us... if we keep letting them.**

It would be nice if we could say the first humans to set foot in *unoccupied* area should own it forever but that's unrealistic because typically 'might makes right.' Not to mention some might say the land belongs to the highest form of life already there be it a deer or a grape.

**Some people would like to replace or destroy us, others just want to 'manage' or rule us... we should have no patience for any of them, just eternal vigilance.**

## McLife

Some people are a 'type' and hundreds look just like them, others are 'originals' but even they have doppelgängers somewhere.

There are things for which I have patience but no time and others for which I have time but little patience... et vous?

When the moon is in the seventh phrase and poopeter maligns with Mars then pizza will guard McPlanet and love will steer the stores this is the dawning of the age of asparagus...

Move slowly around objects, and yes door jams are objects... just ask your funny bone.

## Manifest Destiny

*Taking up the mantle* requires growing up, it's means being ready, willing and able to handle a 'grand promotion' ... are you ready?

The *problem* with the mandate some Jews believe they have to make the world a better place, is that it can backfire and makes things worse. If you multiply 'getting involved' a thousand times and add thousands of years, it may equal Armageddon. The world might arrive there anyway but smart people believing it's their manifest destiny to *fix* the world tend to speed up the 'process.' Christians also believe they've a mandate to fix things, supposedly by 'peaceful' means, and Islam reportedly believes in a mandate to fix things by any means necessary.

I'm not sure that supporting everything Israelis do will get me to heaven or opposing their *excesses* means I'll go to hell. My friends don't think the Israelis

have committed excesses and even if they did would probably say don't take a chance support the Jewish state... guess I'll take my chances and pray for the peace of Jerusalem but not Zionism.

Watching Steve McQueen in 'Sand Pebbles' and they're going to 'China Light' to rescue the missionaries. That's their mission but I generally don't believe in *slaying monsters abroad*. There are lots of good peeps out there, but most aren't remotely mine. I don't want to get intimately involved in *fixing* their world and won't be talked into it... I simply wish them well.

## Marriage, Women and Wives

"Burning dreams hiding in your pillow

Makes it hard when you try to live so perfectly

Pretty eyes, dark as a shadow

What do you think I'll see?"... Agnetha

My lady's as sweetsie and eetsie, beetsie as can beeskie...



Being *unevenly yoked* can be real tough... but I've nothing to compare it to and *evenly yoked* couples also struggle and may fail at a similar same rate.

They're just such a nutty bunch... and so are we 😊

If we stick strictly to *his* rules for marital 'fighting' how can anything change? He's suggesting ground rules that pigeon hole and preserve the status quo.

An age-old means of bringing down a rival civilization is marrying them.

My wife's done it again... made me like AbbA. Ten years ago it was her progesterone on our pillow getting in my system, now it's the estrogen trochee she dissolves in her mouth nightly... why didn't she tell me before we kissed?

**Siri's like a wife... you can't live with her or without her ☺**

If someone else controls the fruit of your labor, you're indentured or enslaved...

These 30 *odd* years have been challenging...

Together we made the bed we're laying in, and it's up to us to make it comfortable going forward.

Dividing our property now should protect both of us if we become *incompetent*. It's better than hoping to outlive each other... *that's* a bad system.

**'... Yeah, it feels alright' ... Stones**

**I don't want anyone under my thumb and vice versa. I don't want to be a bully and don't blame anyone for using the 'laws at their disposal.' There is a lot you don't know but would hearing just *my side of the story* be good for anyone? Guess I'm saying I would do it again... but differently.**

*'I'm jealous and I'm proud if you hurt me I cry out loud I'm Carrie not the kind a girl you'd marry - that's me'... describes some of the gals I know ☺*

It's nice to *have* someone to spur you on... especially if she has the tenacity of a honey badger... just saying.

**When I say I have no problem with plural marriage or legal, regulated, 'safer' prostitution, not saying I'd fight for it, just wouldn't fight against it... as 'society' pressures us to.**

**Every thoughtless thing you say to your spouse is subconsciously going to be held against you. It goes in a little jar and is one of the things that prevents agape love between you. We can't**

realistically achieve that but it's not a bad aspiration, since trying can eliminate many of the 'conditions' we attach to love. I'm OK with the love I get...

When associating with women be sensitive to their feelings just as when associating with people of other ethnicities, religions, races etc. There are heightened sensitivities when different groups get together, don't disrespect, humiliate or ridicule people... don't be coarse in mixed company.

It's a free country so peeps can marry whoever they want but others are under no obligation to automatically 'approve', aid or abet said marriage... because it's a free country. #Reciprocity

There should be severe repercussions for sex traffickers and sex offenders. The minimum age for consent should be regulated by the states and IMO be no lower than they are now. If a woman over the age of 21 wants to prostitute herself, she should be able to with the best possible protection from pimps and profiteers... as well as for her and her customers health and safety.

The same for Plural marriages of people over the age of consent which in this case should IMO be at least 18. The above is no worse than same sex marriage and is more natural.

Many successful marriages benefit from spouses being 'evenly yoked.' When on the other hand spouses differ greatly in religious views, it can be the straw that breaks the camel's back.

Why do you demand of monogamy of some yet subsidize infidelity by others? If this continues unabated it will eventually mean the end of *our people*.

Another thing she told me that makes a lot of sense, is that *any other woman would act the same way she does...* that's actually very helpful to know 😊

Not sure about you but I didn't sign up to be a 'help mate'... If you say I'm twisting the Bible to justify my desire, I think you're no different. When the Bible and nature agree, I usually agree, when do you concur with it? If it's when it suits your desire then you're like me, and if you claim that your church's *understanding* is the truth, whole truth and nothing but the truth I say, not so fast...

The old trapper didn't want a 'full-time night woman' but that's exactly what I want... not a once a week'er.

The *sweet* ladies, so beautiful so enchanting... then they become wives and all bets are off, *by necessity* they become *much different* changing from purring kittens to wildcats ☺

**We are led to believe that women have needs and desires while men have appetites, is that true?**

**Friend, everyone's a troublemaker not just your spouse.**

We don't have identical goals, world views and desires but neither of us should trump the other... does that mean we can't live together? I hope not.

They claim there is no quid pro quo in romance and marriage but I beg to differ... some of them are sexual and some of them aren't. The first categories denied most and used most. Engaged vs married... whether 'marrying' boards or people, they *a/lmost* become one. Marriage makes them much stronger than they were when single...

Cheat? I don't think so, I have too much to lose and too little to give.

Guys, you've given away up too much... we owe women love, respect, equality and protection if they want it, but we've surrendered our natural, God given rights and in return they've demanded miles more.

We owe women financial support for the children we father unless society decides that 'it takes a village' to raise them. In that case, there should be no free passes for disadvantaged fathers be they black, white, red or yellow.

I've met enough women to know that they all nag, and you've met enough men to know we're all 'occasionally' jerks, but getting along isn't out of the question.

If Solomon was the wisest man ever and had 1000 wives and concubines what does that tell you? It tells me he was wise but maybe a bit nuts! Meanwhile, a friend describes him as a *very busy man* ☺ If Solomon could have 1000 wives and concubines, why can't 'regular guys' have 2 or 3? Not that we'd necessarily want two... :)

My wife has convinced me that any woman would have the same issues with me as her... I think her hypothesis is true...and vice versa.

**A good marriage can be cemented by children, grandchildren and similar values. Take any of these away and it's weaker.**

**Everything you do is justified from your perspective and everything I do is justified from mine. When we disagree we both want our view to prevail... that's not a great formula.**

**After a period of *jockeying for position* some couples settle into a 'Stockholm syndrome' type arrangement... not a great system but it's been around forever.**

**Oh my, the things they will resort to! Crude but effective and certainly no worse than us... the whole wild, wooly, beautiful lot... can I say that?**

Arguably *It* is actually less natural than *that* but institutionalizing *it* legitimizes the PTB's *ruling* on what society should be like. Proclaiming that *it* is 'God's will' gives *it* credibility and gravitas despite very little evidence that *it* is His will. Is *it* which is probably less natural than *that* better and is society better off since *it* prevails? Just wondering.

**I'm guessing that half the nice things men say about their wives are insincere or made under duress, the opposite's probably be true as well.**

**The wives I know are supremacists who take no prisoners because the law lets them. That doesn't make women cruel, it makes men fools for giving away the farm.**

**We don't know what others know or when they know it and therein lies the rub.**

**The only thing worse than men ruling women, is women ruling men. Government should govern not rule, and people should be treated fairly and equally under a system of laws that guarantee freedom and human rights.**

Women, what a semi-mysterious bunch... and there'd be no 'semi' if they weren't so instinctive.

**I can no more understand the mind of woman than the mind of God... both are mysteries and both are readily explained by *experts*... for a price.**

Your people actually grow babies inside, which is simultaneously weird, normal and incredible. It's no wonder I have a little trouble relating to and understanding you. However, you have my respect, gratitude and more than a little awe. You're not goddesses but you're darn close!

Prenups are the way to go and apparently, millennials are embracing them more than previous generations. Neither spouse should have the right to sign on the dotted line and own half of what the other has earned. The 'what's mine is mine and what's ours is mine' laws need reform.

Until the feminist revolution an imperfect but more natural order prevailed. Marriage is a difficult proposition and the majority are contentious or fail. The institution shouldn't be abandoned, just reformed, meanwhile, the very happy couples we all know are usually ideologically and religiously on the same page... or faking it.

With the law on their side the more powerful spouse can make an indentured servant of the other and many do.

Although it's not an entirely natural situation marriage offers many advantages to men, women and children. Whether or not those outweigh the disadvantages is another question. I think it's factual that any new man or woman that comes into one's life is going to have the same gender tendencies of the one that's exited and once the *honeymoon's over*, it's back to the same often difficult reality. So, is serial monogamy more natural than the permanent variety? It may be, but it isn't not necessarily better and leads to its own set of problems. I think the good book says choose monogamy or celibacy... at least I think the NT does.

I guess you could say the guys are looking for a meal and the gals are looking for a meal ticket for them and their kids... why not?

Don't expect anybody to be nice all the time, especially wives... they're programmed to complain, and we're programmed to give them plenty to complain about.

**'I have known many happy marriages, but never a compatible one. The whole aim of marriage is to fight through and survive the instant when incompatibility becomes unquestionable'... G.K. Chesterton**

## **Meek Shall Inherit the Earth...**

"A nation's greatness is measured by how it treats its **weakest** members"... Ghandi

**That's fine but it be taken too far... or misused in a malicious, calculated manner.**

**My concern with LGBTs interpreting the law for straights is that they'll interpret it in a manner to gain special status compared to other peeps. The goal of their leaders seems to be to mainstream their lifestyle, not just protect their constituents from societal abuse.**

If your liberation is actually our conquest, then of course I'm not going for it. I'm not suggesting we go back to an old unfair order, we should tweak what we have if it's salvageable and if not we do our best to create a new fair system. Not a *New World order*, that's shaping up to be too much like the old ones.

**The meek aren't meek, nor are they any more just than anyone else, in fact there are no meek... just tyrants in waiting. If these fine feathered friends ask you to accept their rule because they're so kind and loving don't fall for it... given half a chance they'll tyrannize with the best of them. You owe them nothing but equality.**

Those who portray themselves as meek and weak certainly aren't the former and when they're the latter they usually turn out to be the worst bullies imaginable.

With the majority vote and control of the legal system they will put us under their heel, their goal apparently is to institute their worldview and crush all others.

**Nutshell - I didn't sign up to be an enabler, second-mate or poodle. I mustn't *contribute* the fruit of my life's labor to things I fundamentally disagree with.**

## **Memory**

Don't tell them you forgot cause you're distracted, admit you forgot and let them fill in the blank # however they want.

**It's a challenge is to be kind, charitable and humane to loved ones and strangers during times of stress and difficulties... coming to mind is an elderly in-law who's becoming confused and grouchier than ever. This someone's always been a difficult personality especially for me, but still deserving of respect and dignity. I remember a stranger**

watching us 'struggling' in a restaurant wisely saying, 'hang in there, someday you'll miss them.' Furthermore, in the retirement home dining room it's painful to watch seniors who've had outstanding lives and careers gradually and frustratingly lose their memories.

A good memory's most important if you've something important to remember.

## **Messages**

To *moi*, the 'law of attraction', means being attracted to certain people and there's nothing wrong with that... not only does it sell everything from cars to bananas, more importantly it perpetuates the species.

## **Messiahs**

'Some are building monuments

Others jotting down notes

Ev'rybody's in despair

Every girl and boy

But when Quinn the Eskimo gets here

Ev'rybody's gonna jump for joy'... Dylan

'Jesus promised the disciples three things - that they would be completely fearless, absurdly happy and in constant trouble'... G.K. Chesterton

My bawdy thoughts are tween me and Jesus, he already knows what I'm thinking and hopefully he has a normal 'guy sense of humor'... sorry ladies ☺

I've asked Jesus to be my savior, so far, the only answer I've gotten is from people who say my efforts, faith and profession thereof fall short...

IMO the most powerful 'block' in the world is Christianity. Billions of people and trillions of dollars are devoted to *the mission*. IMO Christianity probably can't and shouldn't lose... but will Christians be true to the *cause*, agree on what it is and be as compassionate as their Messiah?

*Why reject or ignore everything the ancient Jews said about Jesus, and accept everything CS and other apologists proclaim? Both are worthy of consideration but not to place blind faith in. I'm considering both sources and searching for other views which thanks to Constantine et al have been largely lost. Meanwhile, though biased to some extent, the Jews of that era should have had a pretty good idea of what was going on in their backyard. The apostle Paul too should be scrutinized, he too could've been biased, or something other than 100% genuine.*

**I try to keep my most private thoughts and words between me and the man upstairs. Like, "Lord which version of 'Hallelujah' do you like better - Pentatonix or Lenny Cohen's?" I love them both.**

I wouldn't say that Jesus doesn't answer me, I just don't hear him as *loud and clear* as some peeps, and don't see 10-foot angels walking around.

I wonder who's *right* about Jesus, the; New Testament, Torah, Gnostics, apocrypha, masons, Cathars, Templars, Muslims, Da Vinci Code etc? Did he survive the crucifixion, marry Mary Magdalene, did she or they go to France, have kids? No sure who if anyone to believe, haven't seen nails in his and the only voices I hear at night are on the TV and they want money.

**Is it sinful to wonder if Jesus ever snored, caught cold or passed gas? Did he have a perfect body that did none of those, or a 'human' one that did? Maybe the 'answer' is he could have whichever he wanted.** It's actually a serious question... if Jesus was from the line of David, would he be susceptible to genetic diseases or conditions that line may have had?

**I can't unequivocally accept nor discount what the Torah says about Jesus... ditto the New.**

It's kind of cool, I can tell Jesus off-color jokes or anything else and he won't squeal or sue... of course he can do a lot worse.

“Wild child full of grace savior of the human race”... The Doors

## **Middle East**

‘We’re not imperialists we’re protecting the homeland’... Rob O’Neill (the man who killed Osama Bin Laden)... on FOX regarding foreign intervention but is that the best way to do it?

In the last war *little war* between Israel and Palestinians guys whoever it was when they were missiles flying into Israel, Israelis killed dozens of Palestinian civilians for every Israeli soldier that was killed that is roughly what the Nazis were doing when they were fighting.

Regarding the destruction of Mosul by; Allied, Russian and Iraqi forces, once again we’ve slayed a monster, but have we made things better? The only way to change ‘those people’ may be to enslave them and we’ve gone that before... albeit unsuccessfully.

Someone said moving our embassy to Jerusalem will disqualify us as *honest mediators*... why are we pretending we ever were?

I stand by the theory that ‘admitting’ those from south of the border, Middle East, Africa and Asia into the country allows in people who’re indoctrinated, have alien propensities and to some extent are hardwired to do things ‘differently’ and not in ways we’ll like. Let them stay in their own countries and make them great again.

Most Americans seem to unequivocally support Israel’s ‘right’ to do anything they want, maybe they think that’ll get them to heaven. Can we pray for the peace of Jerusalem without supporting their excesses? Oh, I forgot there are none.

Does Israel have a right to the land of Palestine? They say God gave it to them, but there were people living there for thousands of years before they arrived. Based on who was there first, the Palestinians *may* have a claim, especially if

they share the genome of the ancient peeps who live there. Do the Indians have a right to America? They certainly have the genome of the earliest inhabitants... although even that has become a bit sullied by politics and academics. Should we give it back to them or did God give it to us? In both cases I think 'might makes right' were the operative words. With God's help justice for all will prevail instead of gun-barrel diplomacy and bullying.

That being said, maybe God does reward some people and punish others mightily by dispossessing them of their lands??? Examples might be cultures practicing human sacrifice or other abominations. The method of dispossession seems to be the sword or disease... crude but effective.

Zephaniah 3

'The price of oil and the pace of freedom move in opposite directions'...Thomas Friedman

## **Military Industrial Complex**

'Iran has more influence in Iraq than we do, despite all our military efforts'... General Jack Keane.

Does that tell us anything about the unintended consequences of trying to 'slay monsters abroad.'

We can intervene and impose our values, achieving much heralded victories, sometimes making things better, sometimes making them worse. Let them live their own way, intervene with words not wars. Drop leaflets not bombs and realize they may be repressed even worse for acting on your advice. I'd like to help those living under tyranny or in squalor but even more I want to help the people I know and love... If our intervention results in death and destruction of the common people then we're probably doing it wrong. A better way to help may be by only allowing tyrannical leaders access to our medical technology when they *do the right thing*.

I'd like to defend our peeps from murderous regimes without ruining lives and killing distant peoples.

**There's always been an arms race and I wonder, will it always be necessary in order to protect freedom.**

**Armies have become mechanized and industrialized everywhere from the Arctic to Africa. Tanks and artillery which at first were only in the hands of a few supposedly 'responsible' nations, are now available to every nut case leader and country no matter how backwards and corrupt. Eventually will everyone, also have nukes? That will almost certainly be the end of the beginning.**

*'It became necessary to destroy the town to save it'... American Major (Hue, Vietnam)*

## **Militias**

## **Miracles**

**'It would take a miracle for you to get out of Casablanca and the Germans have outlawed miracles'... Ferrari**

## **Moderation, Willpower and Delayed Gratification**

**"A person without self-control is like a city with broken-down walls" ...Proverbs 25:28**

## Mom

At Meiers for the first time since Mom passed away, I realize I'll never accidentally bump into her here again, except in my mind... every time.

As executor of my mother's estate, I can think of three good reasons to do it right; that's what she wanted, CMA and setting a good example. On the other side is greed or need – I might be able to control mine but no one else's. The will may not be what our mother intended or what we wanted, and there may have a chance to rectify it but the legal fees will consume the estate in the process...I plan to obey the law.

## Money and wealth...

~~The mutual fund advertises that it only invests in the 'world's most ethical companies'... that's a good one... who sets the standards?~~

**Oxfam: World's Richest 1 Percent Get 82 Percent of the Wealth created in 2017.**

To those paying with 'favors' and expired coupons... coin of the realm, coin of the realm.

The old Fed Chair's making the rounds and he's well aware that, 'green spans' the world.

The commercial says, 'your house is you're a bank', encouraging people to borrow against. If you follow their advice, you may find that *your house is the banks*.

They say that in the US 1% own's 90%... is it the same everywhere, or does it vary by country and system?

**I have little doubt that in Biblical times, wealth was concentrated in as few hands as today, and that Jesus preached against it, as I think he would today.**

With all due respect to the Prince of Wales and his silver tube squeezer, having reached the point of diminishing returns I'm tossing my paste and starting a new tube ☺

I'm okay bequeathing half but not everything I've earned and amassed during my life. Apparently, we were *unevenly yoked* and seem to have very different worldviews. Despite loving each other very much we might find each other's ideas unpalatable and I for one don't want to finance them.

There's no mental health care available for most who suffer because we spend our treasure warring for special interest groups and making the tenth of 1% richer by the minute.

Another reason I think Bezos, Gates, Zuckerberg and their ilk should be given brooms and put on the street or at least be taxed like crazy is that their crap doesn't work as advertised. Instead of applauding, worshiping or revering them as people are welcome to do, I think they should be taxed back down to normal human levels of wealth and influence. Examples of their schemes and rackets include; inherently bad voice recognition, slowing down iPhones to 'encourage' people to upgrade, filtering the news on FB and Google in favor of their world view and collecting personal data on the public which they sell to advertisers etc. Not to mention promoting autonomous cars and trucks which due to our fragile and often unreliable GPS system could make driving more dangerous until the systems are perfected. These elitist SOB's and DOB's should be given brooms, shovels and feather dusters and put the work. Their ill-gotten wealth should be taxed to the moon and used for medical research and other causes more worthy than the welfare nanny sheeple state they're doing their nefarious best to usher in and foist upon us.

Power, control, money, wills, history and world views... hmm. We have a modest, decent nest egg though it's decreased over the years. We can take our chances or invest it differently but we've neither inside information or great insight.

# hoping for a turn-around.

As much as I dislike the moguls but must give them some credit... even though they steal inventions and make things that don't work as advertised, Edison and his camping buddies weren't much better.

The Kmart in our town went out of business, the big store is empty and I wonder what will replace it? I wouldn't be surprised if a Mexican flea market goes in, and will they sell stolen goods like the ones that have sprung up elsewhere. Some might say, 'heck, K-mart sold goods based on exploited immigrant labor', I respectfully disagree... they sell goods based on exploited

Chinese and third world labor. The common thread is that workers are exploited everywhere in order to make the rich, richer.

Competing cliques of rich folks are competing for power and control over us more than ever and they have the latest tools at their disposal. The fact that our society is so upwardly mobile makes it easier for the uber rich to continue their march towards a hereditary aristocracy. They can point to many examples of nouveau rich joining their ranks which along with cake and circus keeps the rest of us placated. We're not only our putty in their hands we are Play-do.

## **Mother Nature**

Nature uses some pretty creepy tricks to get its way, for example pretty young girls stealing men away from women who've been good wives for many years. Is there a biological, survival or evolutionary reason for this and why are men so happily complicit, not to mention as often as not being the initiators. The spark can be lit by 'innocent' low intensity flirting, or by outright *hitting on* which is the high-intensity type.

Maybe STDs are a way for God and nature to promote monogamy but 'if' God is involved why the very limited success? Maybe Mother Nature pushes it and He doesn't, although I don't know if that's the case... which might beg the question, who side is She on?

Your spouse isn't trying to kill you, they're just part of mother nature's arsenal to get rid of us in *due time*...

The OT said subdue and we largely have... it might be time to concentrate even more on effective husbandry.

The Bible and nature don't tell me specifically to be fruitful and multiply but they tell humanity to, and the last time I checked I'm a member.

## **Mighty Morels**

## Music

The songs aren't prolific or profound there just meanderings from a guy who's got his eyes open'... Robert Plant

*Put a hundred songs in my car wanting to have great music when driving, but I've ruined them already via overplaying.*

I don't believe in a greatest singer, greatest guitarist etc. I believe in favorites... I'd rather appreciate than rate.

Heard Rocky Mountain High and My Sharona for the first time in years, two of the I ruined in the 70's by playing them too much... I can listen again but can't turn em up.

Elvis... a great singer and like so many others... a bonehead.

Some tithe, some tip, some like praise music, some like rock... different styles, different *churches*. Must we judge each other's *church music*?

I've got all these great songs in the car but their availability means they've lost their appeal... the anticipation of hearing them on the radio is gone ☺

I sing around the house, but no one appreciates it ☺ Guess that's what happens when you don't have a good voice but I let it all hang out when I'm in the car singing to Jesus. I figure he'll cut me a break... at least he doesn't tell me to stop.

Two great songs; Just Like That and Just A Notion ☺

When I hear the Allman Brother's 'Sweet Melissa' it reminds me of little Ms. Greer from the Playhouse... I wonder where she is now and what she's doing.

The band AWOL (Absent With Out L&@#) announces its new release 'Government Babies!' AWOL's (formerly Hard Dregs) frontman KW said the dregs of society mostly

cover great songs and have little original content. 'Whiskey in the Jar' is just one song from AWOL available for viewing and listening to YouTube's NJOKIN channel.

Songs of the month; 'I Came for You' by Bruce and Metallica's version of 'Whiskey in the jar.'

The band - Critical Mass

**I may not know *good music* but I know what I like...**

I'll take Honky Tonk Women over Brown Sugar, and like Jumping Jack Flash more than Johnny be Good ... is that a bad thing?

Sonny's doing pretty good singing Audio Slave's 'Like a Stone', heck I can't hit the notes *or* remember the words.

## **Nanny State**

"I went to see the doctor... with a poster of Rasputin and a beard down to his knee ... He graded my performance, he said he could see through me"... Indigo Girls

In the Nanny state there's less personal freedom, you do what's good for society, which is also deemed good for individuals and their families. In the *Manly* state there's more personal freedom but people don't necessarily do what's good for society. Instead they do what they deem good for themselves and their family. A balanced approach is what American society is struggling to come up with.

'How do we make systems that are good for humanity and how do we keep ourselves honest?', the *nanny stater* asked. Does she wants to design a system that's good for everyone, or one that's advances her worldview that no one can 'circumvent.'

## **Near Death and Death**

'Between the known and the unknown there are doors'... William Blake

There's anecdotal evidence that most people will experience the 'standard' death experience on the way out. Whether there's eternal 'something' after that is beyond my pay grade but have no fear plenty of folks have 'the answer.'

In the end I think we're either bones that turn to dust or if downloaded into bots, we eventually rust away or get hit by a truck... or - we're eternal souls.

**There are images *in* our brains just waiting to be released at the 'proper moment.'** Like if you crash your car and know you're going to die... unique images ranging from skulls to Jesus appear on an *individual basis*.

**Whether or not there's life after death reminds me of - should you warm your car up in the morning? ... the experts disagree.**

LSD, peyote, magic mushrooms... do they produce a near death experience experience.

Got the call from the funeral home and jumped in the car to pick up Mom's ashes. Turning the radio on I heard 'Dust in the wind.' A few days earlier upon arriving at the accountant's office with mom's tax papers, 'Don't Fear the Reaper' came on. It reminded me of the first couple visits to Dad's father's grave at Crownhill Cem. The first time I heard, 'Walk like an Egyptian', the second time it was 'Demons' by Imagine Dragons... what *does* it all mean?

**No one lives forever, so Mother Nature says, 'something's got to give' and there's a million ways to die.**

That we would be like the animals and not know that life ends, or what lies beyond. Or do they know more than they're letting on?

Is there more evidence for a 'specific version' of eternal life, or more evidence for it in 'general'? There's also evidence for the alternative world view that says it doesn't exist. Regardless, all compete fiercely to promote the 'truth.'

**'Is Déjà vu a glitch in the matrix or a message from the other side'...Dark**

'For the ones who had a notion, a notion deep inside,

That it ain't no sin to be glad you're alive'

... Springsteen

## New World Order

### News

Did you hear? Bad Company's on the soft rock station and the fashion designer Tom Ford says that two men sleeping together doesn't mean anything... hmmm.

### NO! (Just say...)

There are millions of people *decomposing* because they thought somebody else would do the right thing... watch out for the other guy.

Strange... sometimes it seems like you're trying to *teach someone a lesson*, when all you're doing is standing up for your rights. Don't *get even, get even treatment* and don't worry how folks spin it.

### Nukes

'Wars never solve anything, they just put the solution off a little further'... L Ron Hubbard

Don and his gens are considering a bloody nose strike against NOKO but Admiral Stravridis isn't enthusiastic. The old *unintended consequences* thing comes to mind and James alludes to slippery slopes. I thought we prefer that our enemies surrender unconditionally but in the age of nukes gets complicated. The 'small nukes' idea their floating might work or could lead to God knows what. I hope cooler heads prevail on both sides and the doomsday clock retreats... # not looking for the end of the world... ever.

## **Obligations, Favors and Gratitude**

I'm grateful to many peeps... but not *eternally* grateful to any of them.

Extend equal 'courtesy' to everyone and expect the same in return... we *owe* each other nothing more, or less.

Most handwashing's necessary for hygiene, but a certain amount's ritualistic or done as a courtesy... well, okay.

**Is it just ingrates who look gift horses in the mouth or do we all?**

*I don't think I owe anyone anything other than decency and life-saving assistance if they're injured. Okay, maybe I owe them the shirt off my back once or twice, but I don't owe them the farm, and gamesters should be offered a hand up not a handout. To those who keep telling us to who and how much we owe... it's none of your business.*

**When we decide we know what best for others, we should prepare for disappointment.**

## **Occupied Government**

## **Oil**

## **Opinions**

I've seen open and shut criminal cases but no ideological cases that are quite as easy to prove ... whether it's religion, AI, environmentalism, capitalism, socialism or anything else there's usually a spoiler.

You don't have to let people get away with denying you the right your opinion nor should you always fight... sometimes discretion's the better part of valor.

What's there not to understand? It's logical there'd be a universe and it would be infinite. The question is how did it get here? Was it God, randomness or something else that's beyond our paygrade. We're entitled to our opinion of how it happened, to promote and call that opinion fact but not entitled to force it on others. We even have the right to scare each other with fire and brimstone sermons but not entitled to force others to bow, pray or worship as we do.

Andrea Mitchell's guest said, 'you know I went to West Point where they taught us to choose the *harder right* instead of the *easier wrong*.' I just hope you're not being duped sir... by either side.

Have journalists always been activists? Probably.

## **Opportunity**

'Hope springs eternal'... Alexander Pope

## **Opt Out...Opt IN**

## **Order... Chaos?**

'The whole deal's like some kind a crazy game, they put you at they've starting line, the name of the game is make it through life, everyone's out for themselves and trying to screw you at the same time'... Frank ('They Live')

Odds vary but in the end, things either happen or they don't... When you round a blind curve, the chances that someone's coming at you might be 50/50 but it seems like it happens every time.

Sometimes one thing leads to another in ways we'd never expect. What we *can* expect is that disrupted lives, disrupt other lives.

Western, Christian countries have fewer episodes of mass murder of course there are notable exceptions but mostly it's mechanized wars against each other or civil wars. Other countries seem to have more mass chaos and murder, not that we can't as well.

It seems tyranny by one group is usually replaced by tyranny from another...

Like most peeps I'm above average in some areas and below in others...overall you might say 'Even Steven.'

There's likely to be chaos *for a while* because neither the *old guard* or the new PTB, most of whom are usurpers won't relinquish ill-gotten gains without a fight. Hopefully the chaos won't last for long and we'll end up with a saner, juster world. If not we'll live under a new form of tyranny the likes of which have never been seen before.

## **Oxymoron's and Gobbledygook**

Help Desk... sometimes it isn't.

They call it the palace of judgment, I mean the palace of justice and that might be an oxymoron.

... badly decomposed

## **Paranormal**

## **Pascal's Wager**

### **Patriotism**

Per the bumper sticker, 'dissent is the highest form of patriotism' . I don't know about the driver's views, but the statement cuts both ways.

## **Peace**

### **Peer Pressure**

There's responsibility and false responsibility brought on by pressure...it's a fine line so draw it yourself.

### **Philosophy**

'See, I think there's a plan. There's a design for each and every one of us. You look at nature. Bird flies somewhere, picks up a seed, shits the seed out, plant grows. Bird's got a job, shits got a job, seeds got a job. And you've got a job'... Maddy (Cold Mountain)

Real-osophy... cause it's real.

I used to just want a little peace and quiet, now I don't want anything... kidding.

Philigion/relosophy... a hybrid thought process that unapologetically merges elements of philosophy and religion. Neither a 'step down' nor a 'step up' it doesn't insist it's the only truth.

**Philigion is, spiritual, metaphysical and relisophical... but not so religious.**

## **Platform**

### **Police**

Fort Wayne; the white pick-up truck turns on its blue and red lights and pulls over the speeder. Moments later it's in the rearview mirror, quickly forgotten by the herd of rubbernecks on our way to work... we're like zebras leaving the scene of the crime to graze elsewhere as their brother's eaten by Lions.

## **Political Correctness**

'Political correctness is cowardice in the face of reality' ... Dennis Prager

Whether you're a 'good man' or not seems to closely coincide with whether you're forwarding someone else's agenda or at least not clashing with it.

**Most of the Time's Square revelers gave pat PC answers to what they wanted for the New Year... a few were more creative.**

I'd rather not be a 'disruptor' but I'm loathe to collaborate with the PC state... it needs to be deconstructed even more than Steve Bannon says.

I'm avoiding public debates because I'll probably lose... it may mean I'm wrong or that I'm on the wrong side of the PCP.

If I remember correctly, grandma occasionally use the N-word, she also used the V-word... varmint. I don't begrudge her and won't remove her picture, the Confederate flag or a statue to appease you.

There's political correctness on both sides, you can't offend; sponsors, constituents or overlords no matter which side of the aisle you're on... if you do there's hell to pay.

Autonomous cars, political correct society, the nanny-state, eventually everything will run like a finally tuned watch - right? We'll see.

Sometimes our goals coincide other times they are diametrically opposed tradition says one thing the law says something else and political correctness says, 'cave man'... this 3%er is spitting out the kool aid.

## **Politics**

“When Trump came to the White House and I looked so upset it wasn’t because we were worried about the Obama legacy or how bad we were feeling for Hillary Clinton, it was that we were concerned that we hadn’t progressed nearly as far as we thought we had”...Janice Psaki (paraphrased.) All I can say is that one person’s ‘progress’ is another person’s regress.

Just as we occasionally need violent men to guard our lives, we *may* need obnoxious buffoons like the Donald to shake things up in DC.

Another thing that ‘crosses the aisle’ is smug attitudes, which of course each accuses the other of.

Many Dems were bullied, now they’ve grown up made lots of money and want to get even and remake the world in an egalitarian way, via hiring thugs. The Dems were often bullies and don’t want to give away their ‘privileged’ status. But it’s a bell curve so there were also Dems who were bullied and Dems who were bullies.... On and on it goes.

**The Senate just passed a bill requiring sexual-harassment training for its members. Will it be the usual PC nanny state mental ‘reset’ or will it be fair and balanced?**

**The only people I’m likely to fundamentally oppose are fundamentalists... I harbor them no ill will, but prefer to give them a wide berth.**

**Politically I’m a lot more like my grandparents than my parents and that’s on both sides of the tree.**

**The Republican Party is basically Christian fundamentalist billionaire and neo-can Zionist billionaire run. The Democratic Party is basically secular humanist billionaire and liberal Zionist billionaire run. Both cohorts have cadres of what so called useful idiots, wanna-be’s and sycophants garnering votes in exchange for favors.**

My problem with Republicans is; crony capitalism, policing the world, policing our personal lives and establishing a hereditary ruling class. I can add one or two more to the above and it would be my list for the Dems.

Identity politics occurs with individuals, groups, TV networks etc. A network that claims to be fair may still endorse a particular party most of the time and endorse an agenda that mirrors its producers even more often. People are no different and some populations are more monolithic in their voting habits than others, they won't accept people they disagree with, and I wonder if this is situational and temporary or a more permanent trait.

From religion to politics and everything in between I usually differ from the Africized views. I respect those opinions but don't want to be co-opted by what to me seems a preference for fundamentalism, identity politics and dictatorship.

Funny how we're supposed to be PC and curb our tongues whether talking; race, gender, religion or politics. Under the guise of 'not dividing the nation', we're *educating the young* to not only chose their words carefully and try to be considerate, but to also censor themselves if they don't agree with the party line.

'The fact that someone disagrees with me doesn't make me challenge their love of the country'... SC Rep. Trey Gordy

## Pornography

Greater minds than mine have debated the porn issue... it's complicated and due to the power of the sex drive it's still *in demand*. Between quid pro quos, 'old professions' and special interests, this bug-a-boo won't easily disappear.

IMO trafficking in mind altering hard core porn should be a felony, be it on; cable, internet, paper etc. Communities and countries are entitled to determine their own standards. Activists and perverts must no longer be able to use the first amendment to allow them to contaminate minds and destroy bodies.

Mixing sex with violence or portraying "unnatural sex" should be illegal, and society shouldn't let pornographers pollute the airwaves, bookstands and internet. Subjecting the public to Images that can never be erased is a serious matter, every effort should be made to prevent it and offenders should be punished. If the most primitive parts of our brains are exposed to certain lewd images they can take hold in a certain percentage of the population with devastating effects. Just as freedom of speech or expression doesn't allow yelling fire in a movie theater or injecting somebody with heroin you shouldn't be allowed to visually inject them with bile and natural and often violent sexual imagery.

They're also trying to mainstream unnatural forms of sex like adults with children, although they are trying to frame the debate with 'evidence' that these are natural. There are many historical references to perversion and examples of homosexual 'acts' in nature but the former often leads to destruction and the latter is a fairly rare aberration, so their attempts at mainstreaming should be repelled. Some people can resist their deviant pull and they justify their CRIMES by saying, 'just don't order the movie', or don't look but that's not always possible, especially when a careless or accidental click on an image can result in even two seconds viewing images that can never be erased. Sexual deviance is even more dangerous than drug addiction because it's even more difficult to erase, it's been somewhat justified by more 'experts' and the *arousing* imagery targets even more primal parts of our brains than drugs.

Great damage has been done and I hope it's not irrevocable. I doubt the founding fathers or patriarchs would have allowed this or stood idly by. Don't a fooled by their deceitful arguments, no matter what they say, their goal is profit and altering society's morals in a perverted direction. The hard-core drug dealer is similar to the pornographer while the pot dealer though not a useful member of society is much less dangerous.

Alcohol inebriates but hard porn *de-constructs* and *reconstructs* innocent minds, changing many who are exposed into addicted, often violent perverts. Just reading the movie descriptions on our newly installed AT&T Direct TV's adult channels angered me to the point of wanting to act (for example; The Meanest lesbians take it out on submissive young girls' was one description, not to mention all the usual violence laced heterosexual porn titles.) The images and scenes portrayed, even though somewhat artificially done by actors can't be erased and in many cases are truly, negatively mind altering. The human body and sex are beautiful and can and should be portrayed 'artistically' instead of artificially and perversely.

The pornographers' arguments that such titillation is innocently enjoyed and is just harmless fantasy is spurious, because their imagery though often unnatural and usually unrealistic. Their intent is to It warps minds, destroy 'natural, normal' traditional values and replace them with Sodom and Gomorrah values and they must be stopped.

There should be treatment available for those afflicted, as well as curtailment and prosecution of the purveyors so the cycle can be broken. Actors are mostly pawns, viewers are mostly victims and producers are criminals. I'm not calling for pornographers, straight or gay to be thrown off roofs, just thrown in jail and if they're un-reformable, we should throw away the key.

Very soft porn leaves much to one's imagination and probably isn't destructive, harder core porn substitutes/implants unnatural, damaging mind-altering visuals in a calculated attempt to co-opt and subvert by triggering our basist, even sub-human instincts and emotions... it is evil and destructive to individuals and society.

What people do behind their closed doors is their business but when they broadcast it publicly for profit, or for a devious agenda society must squelch it. If someone spreads hard-core porn, that violates a community's standards and morals they should be dealt with accordingly. People's minds, bodies, health and lives are too important to surrender to pornographers who use trickery, and contrived interpretations of the First Amendment etc. to get away with morality murder. I would have them prosecuted, imprisoned or banished...

## **Poverty**

The sign says, 'just be kind' but that's not enough for some, they expect the shirt off your back... that should be up to you.

I believe in elevating everyone and grubstaking no one... unless it's voluntary.

**We are supposed to treat the poor, widows and orphans with mercy, kindness and generosity, but what about the lazy the indolent the addicted we should offer them a hand up not a handout.**

*India is reportedly home to 20% of the estimated 25 million slaves around the world and many of them work on brick Kilns... it's also still the home of a caste system.*

Just as social security faces a financial crisis because there are fewer workers paying retiree benefits, so does welfare in general. ZPG

embraced by the tax paying class means there are fewer of them to pay for the non-working, tax dollar consuming class, which practices the opposite of ZPG.

When you see someone who's unfortunate or decrepit, remember that 'but for the grace of God there go I', and someday you and I will.

It sounds callous but it's necessary to treat dreamers like the people who're hungry because they reject educational opportunities and demand the government support them or provide jobs. If they're intent of making government babies and taking over little by little, then it's not the least bit callus. Neither capitulate to their demands or guarantee meals, monies or anything else... especially at the expense of your own children.

*The middle class and moderately more successful American taxpayers won't be successful for long if they have to keep paying cradle to grave bills for multi-generational, large welfare families, wherever they're from.*

## **Power**

' Poor man wanna be rich,

Rich man wanna be king,

And a king ain't satisfied,

' til he rules everything' ... Springsteen

**If you make yourself beautiful it may arouse people, if you don't they may ignore you. It's nature and men can no more completely erase it than women can. Laws may be enacted but they too will fail, protect people from violence and actual harassment, but don't force them to adopt someone else's moral code. If you want greater respect, stop trying to control other people's lives... fight that primal instinct.**

For years I felt like I was living under the threat of annihilation and though those days are mostly over I still jump, when the threat reappears... it's like the Stockholm syndrome.

If I suggest rolling back some of the power you gained, you'll almost certainly say no. If I say you may regret that decision if the pendulum swings... you might say that's more reason to fight for more rights.... we can go back and forth and on and on. Time will tell.

All 'great leaders' throw down the gauntlet, from David to Jesus to Genghis to Mao and Donald... my question is, will there be a final winner or just losers who get caught up in the hoopla, are in the wrong place at the wrong time, or just can't get out of the way?

If they say they didn't use leverage, or used it for the benefit of all, take it with a grain of salt. Let the past be a lesson in fairness, not in how to take advantage of others under the pretense of fairness for all. Power corrupts and we should do is our best to minimize that effect.

Everyone's afraid of something. If you don't belong to the local mega church you may fear their power, meanwhile they fear and bolster their defenses against more nefarious and Sunday 'outsiders' than you.

They wanted monogamy and got it, then community property and got that. You have to give them credit for their grit and determination, and condemn us for rolling over. They convinced us that God demands the first and through superior numbers and the majority votes they won the latter. If it takes turning back the clock for everyone to be equal and allowed to control the fruit of their labor, I say *get er done*. Let the pendulum swing. Let the greatest peaceful transfer of power in the history of the world be re-examined and recognized for what is was... a con job.

There's nuttiness everywhere... so many people trying to be the cat bird.

*The legacy trap makes one captive to satisfying traditions and constituents, that's the basis of an ambitious person's power and historical relevance but it does less for society than those mostly forgotten people who were in the pre-Con church or founders of the pre-PC Unitarian church. Those men and women introduced the world to brave new ideas instead of to the brave New World that popular culture and popularity based leaders are serving us. They are power-hungry, beholden to money and tend to lead their flocks astray.*

Wine is strong, the king is stronger, women are stronger still but above all truth conquers'...  
Templars

## **Prayer**

'What we know is a drop, what we don't know is an ocean"... Isaac Newton

God, please guide me through the valley of the shadow of death. Help me accept what I can't change when that is your will and when it isn't, please give me enough sense and grit to do what I must.

**I'm praying to who I believe is a just, kind God for good and happy things everyone... whether it happens is another story. Dear God, put a smile on my face!**

God please grant me the privilege of doing something positive on your behalf.

Dear God, what can I do for you today?

Thank you Lord that everything going wrong this morning was just a minor inconvenience.

'I'll never put on a life jacket again'... Quint

## **Presidents of the United States**

George W. and John Q. warned us against; foreign entanglements, permanent alliances and slaying monsters abroad but there are times when we have to 'get involved.' Problem is, we do so too often and sometimes for the wrong reasons.

**People are concerned about Trump's mental stability, early dementia etc. afraid he'll screw things up for America. Others compare him to Andrew Jackson, who was volatile, irascible and strongly America first. Jackson's policies greatly injured native peoples and Trump's may injure people the world over in order to help Americans...but unlike Jackson he might harm Americans too.**

I don't know much about George Washington's religious views but we know Jefferson published an 'edited' New Testament Bible and that says a lot...

**‘Trump’s the solution or a new kind of disaster’... Holman**

## **Pride**

**There are so many proud people; Americans, Chinese and Africans are three examples... sometimes we're too proud.**

I've never met a man who wasn't a bit arrogant and proud... add insecure and you've got a mess on your hands! #I'm no exception

## **Prison**

## **Productivity**

## **Progress**

## **Prophecy**

“and he went and lived in a town called Nazareth. So was fulfilled what was said through the prophets, that he would be called a Nazarene” - Matthew 2:23

Hmmm...

[https://rationalwiki.org/wiki/Biblical\\_prophecies](https://rationalwiki.org/wiki/Biblical_prophecies)

<http://faithskeptic.50megs.com/prophecies.htm>

I'm not an expert but don't think humanity can solve its problems without the supernatural intervention of Almighty God but we can't even agree if there is a God must less 'His' nature.

So, is God's supernatural intervention ever going to happen or is it just a pipe dream that's existed since time immemorial?

**If someone portends to know what your future holds, they probably have plans for you that benefit them.**

Getting back to prophecy and what's going on in the world. Is it God's will or self-fulfilling prophecies backed by trillions of dollars and billions of people?

Trump's intention to move the U.S. embassy to Jerusalem advances the agenda of the fundamentalists and 'may' advance God's plan as well. Or it could be an example of the aforementioned. On a personal level, why is he doing it and in the greater scheme of things does that really matter?

"If you pick up any of the four Gospels and read them at random, it will not be long before you learn that such and such an action or saying, attributed to Jesus, was done so that an ancient prophecy should come true. If it should seem odd that an action should be deliberately performed in order that a foretelling be vindicated, that is because it is odd. And it is necessarily odd because, just like the Old Testament, the "New" one is also a work of crude carpentry, hammered together long after its purported events, and full of improvised attempts to make things come out right' ... Christopher Hitchens,

## Quips

## Quotes

## Rat Race

## Reason

'Come let us reason together' ...Isaiah 1:18-19

I think it's OK to discriminate because when people do they usually have a good reason... and when life or limbs aren't at risk you shouldn't need a reason anyway.

When those who won't play by the rules insist that you do and you oblige, are you being noble, or stupid especially when the stakes are incredibly high?

Caveat to the thing about you should watch all the channels you don't want to over watch those that you don't like you don't want to support their sponsors. Just watch enough to possibly hear

hopefully diverse reasonable opinions, and if there aren't any at least you'll know what the PTB/PCP are up to.

Quid pro quos occurs as often in nature as they do in human nature. Animals however, either don't know it or don't let it bother them, we do... and maybe we should.

## **Regrets**

'And even though it all went wrong

I'll stand before the lord of song

With nothing on my tongue but hallelujah'... Leonard Cohen

I regret lots of things I've said and done but it's mostly okay. My buddies regret nothing... instead they dwell on them and cry in their beer.

We rarely 'owe' anyone an apology so is it hypocritical to apologize situationally? Me thinks it's OK if it keeps friends and family together instead of fighting over every little thing... God help us. When doing what I think I should and then being criticized for being mean, I may apologize but probably not deviate from my course. I don't want to point out that my 'meanness' might not have been *necessary* if similar pain wasn't inflicted on me in the past... I mean no harm but the whatpast which sometimes can't be undone, may however be mitigated by actions we take today... I'm sorry if you are hurt in the process.  
# we've made our beds.

No more apologizing and certainly no more explaining, it just gets twisted and turned, bites you in the ass and used against you.

## **Rejects, Miscellaneous and Unclassified**

## Religion and the Sexes

You like going to churches, I like going to pubs... which doesn't seem that different to me ~

but what do I know 😊 

## Religionism

'God said it, I believe it and that settles it' ... unknown

**'In extreme times extremists win'... Margaret Atwood**

As far as I can tell the religionists' only distinguishing characteristic is even greater self-righteousness than the average Joe...

If you contradict; Jews of that day, science, other religions and your leaders include Ernie A, Peter P. and many similar hucksters why be surprised that some peeps aren't convinced. I'm not saying you're all wrong, just saying you're not always right.

All humans have the capacity to kill and every religion has members with a greater such capacity... I call them murderous. Religious murderers aren't mentioned but they're 'prized assets' to some. They keep the sheeple in line and protect the heirarchy against threats real and imagined.

Tithes support the needy but IMO opinion also support wars because religionists often vote for religious wars. Tithes and offerings also go to spread the *Word* which IMO might mean spreading rumors. Religious books of all kinds in my opinion are unproven yet promoted as absolute truth. Tips go directly to people who are working and *sometimes* struggling to make ends meet. I say this with all due respect and wonder if you respect other opinions? Some religionists don't because they've been in the catbird seat for hundreds of years.

I wouldn't be surprised if most morality police have done everything they're legislating against. They think or claim they're doing it to save others the *heartbreak* they went through jailing others they double the damage. Some MP's think they're saving others

from damnation which is more speculative but no less damaging when they jail others...  
let them just warning people and leave it at that,

The religionists use our instinctive fear of fire to 'persuade' us to join the team, or maybe  
God does burn people continually... #obviously his decision

According to the religionists, we don't have to burn in hell if we do what they prescribe  
for us, which they say God has told them... not sure I believe them.

Nasty banners were hung up outside the Unitarian church in Bloomington I  
don't think most people will take much note of it I don't think other churches  
consider protecting Unitarian's religious freedom, but the government should.

There ideologues and there are theologues... they are zealots.

Not sure religiosity is enough to trump instinct and human nature, I've seen too much  
*failure* by religionists to believe it does. Not that I blame them for being human and I  
shouldn't judge them for missing the mark because we all do. To dove tail on what  
Gandhi said, I'd like to meet a religionist who meets their own 'minimum requirements',  
so far I haven't although a lot of them are very good peeps... probably better than me.  
Cult worship is however powerful as is thirst for glory etc., tell a man he's fighting for God  
and family and he'll kill for elitist who use him like toilet paper. Other than a defensive  
war, very few are just.

I don't know for sure that God exists but think HE does. Some peeps will shoot  
if you don't believe in God, other's will shoot if you do and some will shoot if  
you don't believe in 'their God'... the thread is fundamentalism and its capacity  
for violence.

So, what proof do you have? Well we will burn you at the stake if you don't believe  
it. Hmmm... I'm not sure that compelling but it is effective in other words they use the carrot  
and the stick approach to 'encourage' people to believe and join the team.

**'A puritan is a person who pours righteous indignation into the wrong things'... G.K.  
Chesterton**

‘... out of the desert, from the dry places and the dreadful suns, come the cruel children of the lonely God; the real Unitarians who with scimitar in hand have laid waste the world. For it is not well for God to be alone’... G.K. Chesterton

## Religious War

‘In this sign you will conquer’...

Religionists who previously might have been called brainwashed or acting like robots, might now be called religious zombies. They are more powerful now than they tended to be in the past and they have us *surrounded*. You could be next, because they're coming to take us away! The denominations still don't *have matching stories* but they're close enough to and due to 'wars and rumors of wars'... Matthew 24:6, they're on their high-horses lobbying for *just wars* or looking the other way as innocents are killed due to *unavoidable collateral damage*.

It hasn't been a straight line, but the USA is the latest and greatest successor of Rome and the American Church is the latest in a long line descending from Constantine's Council of Nicaea. So why be surprised that our pastors so often align with Rome's 'jus ad bellum' aka the Just War doctrine. Why be surprised that they rarely decry war, when our society is the progeny of Constantine, who looked to the sky, saw a cross in the sky and saw the Greek words, *τούτῳ νικά*" (In this, conquer.) We focus on victory and conquering evil enemies, and there are plenty of monsters out there. It would be one thing if our *wholly* men used the doctrine to justify defensive wars but they seem equally enthusiastic with preemptive wars and work hand in hand with the MIC, profiteers and other war mongers to usher in the 'worldwide victory' that's been sought since Constantine and Hellenism.

Are warrior monks and crusaders, part of the problem or part of the solution? Along with kings, queens, profiteers, war mongers and chicken hawks IMO they're false patriots and a major part of the problem.

The visiting pastor said, 'honor produces inheritance, which produces legacy and we must be seeded or seated'... and I'm not sure what he meant. He mentioned his military background

and several times, like being a hand to hand combat trainer and he carried himself like a very tough man, which I think he was. The congregation seemed to like him very much and applauded as he spoke of smashing the enemy like ants. I was advised he was speaking of the devil but I wonder if Satan's the only one he'd crush? Until I can learn more about him, I give him an E for effort... he *may* be a fine pastor but he's not mine. Not sure exactly why but he reminded me of the American sniper who may have said something about people carry the Koran being legitimate targets. I don't believe in the Koran but don't think carrying any book should make you a sniper's target.

**'The only defensible war is a war of defense'... G.K. Chesterton**

## **Renting**

## **Respect**

**'If you don't respect yourself, nobody's going to give a good cahoot, respect yourself'... Marc Broussard**

**That's right...**

**There are people we respect and people we have the *utmost* respect for... the latter's usually transitory.**

Why should I disrespect the opinions of people of other religions when many who claim to be Christians sometimes act the least Christian, while those who make no such claims often act in an exemplary manner.

## **Responsibility**

'Got a monkey on my back  
Got a mo, mo, mo, mo, monkey on my back, back, back, back  
Gonna change my ways tonight  
Nobody's fault but mine...No-no-no-no-no-nobody's fault' – Zep

Hmmm funny, sometimes people demands 'an explanation', but another time when you offer one out of *the kindness of your heart*, they has no interest whatsoever.

Sometimes I felt like I was walking on egg shells, under house arrest, hands bound with a gun was to my head. It's way past time to realize the gun, shells, bars and rope were my own making. Past time to realize my problems, real or imagined were never anyone's fault but mine. I can bemoan that things aren't perfect, or realize they never are, keep my chin up and be an optimist. Being positive works for a while, then 'she' walks by or thoughts pop into my head and it's back to square one... is it our lot in life to struggle so? Carry on.

There are some things I'll probably never learn, like not to blame others for my mistakes and for things I lose.

Nobody deserves all the blame or credit for what's happened in anyone's life but their own.

**You shouldn't blame someone for what they did *legally* neither should they be rewarded... they should be held accountable.**

Tragically, when I see somebody missing a limb or worse I'm reminded that it may 'just' be the *human condition* that there's war, mayhem, maiming and death... will it ever stop? Inevitably the world is going to change... not sure if I'm supposed to be a changer, or a reporter.

**If you made a bad decision because you were 'persuaded' by someone else and you try to rectify it later, there may be consequences for both *responsible* parties.**

*Go ahead, as the song say's 'take it out on me', take it all out and take no responsibility for finding yourself in the bed you're in...it's entirely someone else's fault isn't it? That being said I hope the consequences are few, far between and light for both of us but that may be wishful thinking.*

## Revolution, Evolution

“When a country has a huge wealth gap it usually ends up in revolution or a police state”...  
Politico

I would like to see the world change a tweak at a time, small changes are what's needed, not mass revolution, chaos, upheaval and destruction of our institutions. In other countries the situation may be different and we should rarely get involved there except with words and examples.

The US will go in whatever direction the elites want it to unless there's a successful grass roots revolution, but would that revolution result in a liberal or a conservative victory?

A conservative victory might mean the Anglo European elites would prevail and America would remain Anglo European dominated with existing migrant populations and blacks continuing to *míx* with Caucasians in the future, or maybe Balkanizing, or maybe schisms occurring.

A liberal revolutionary win might lead to more immigration resulting in Anglo European influence and demographic representation decreasing further. In either case we're probably looking at a successful country but even more authoritative and invasive than our current Facebook, FISA surveillance nation. Whichever break branch prevails will use these and other tools to further subjugate and indoctrinate us according to their wishes.

I'm not suggesting the revolution I'm suggesting a reformation based on the western model but if you want the Asian or African model go right ahead...

Should we call each other *mental* or is everyone a little different? What about people who sleep away the winter... maybe they evolved from peeps who hibernated like bears.

'First they ignore you, then laugh at you, then they fight you and then you win'... Frauke Petry (German politician)

## Rome

I think America has become Rome, plain, simple... and all that comes with it.

Rome was done in by lead pipes, immigration and barbarians. We may be done in by BPA, PVC and the latter two. Immigrant Roman soldiers had divided loyalties... I'm sure that's no longer the case, right?

America is becoming Rome and we may be going down the same path of destruction. We started out admiring them but we've emulated some of the wrong Roman values. What happened to them could happen to us.

Even our class structure is very similar to the Romans we have plebeians and patricians, equites, proletariat and freedmen... the only 'class' missing in America are slaves... or are they? We have illegal immigrants and illegally indentured workers... just look around.

## Routines

'I don't want to be one of those people who wakes up and realizes he's been in a rut, I want to enjoy being in a rut while I'm in it'... [Link](#)

My morning routine for the past few months has been make coffee, then get cereal from the closet. Every morning I see a package of brownie mix on the shelf but it never really registered until today. Guess I'm smelling the coffee! Next on the agenda is watch the weather and anxiously await arrival of the comely traffic girl.

The morning routine while traveling's a bit different than at home, but equally important. Job one is don't fall in the shower, the rest's quite similar to home.

Develop your routines from experience and from others... though it's hard to learn successful peeps 'habits' that we can't see.

## Rumi

## SRSR aka Foundation for the rational study religion

## Russia

I agree the Soviet Union was an evil empire and the Russian Federation is also highly problematic as is any empire, so let's watch out for the PTB, MIC, chicken hawks, ideologues and warmongers.

## Salvation

## Satisfaction

## Second Amendment

'It's a little ironic that we put an M16 in a young man's hands and put him on the streets of Kabul but don't let him buy a 22 rifle for target practice when he returns'... Rep. Brian Bosma

Hmm.

Is it a conspiracy if *the anti-2<sup>nd</sup> amendment DS* weaken databases and watch lists by letting peeps like the Texas church shooter slip through... or was his absence just a tragic mistake?

The Nanny State wants to make it illegal to have toys guns. If they have their way in all the social engineering schemes they're promoting, in a million years we will have devolved into ants or bees. They also suspended a 7 year old from school for chewing a pop tart into the shape of a gun... way to go.

I don't think we should've bought the Civil War I can't think of any other major country that had to kill hundreds of thousands of their own peeps to end a despicable institution that our country would have soon abolished. It makes me wonder about our country's violent history in general, as a shooter murders 17 at a Florida high school... is violence the *American way*? We must not be monsters, but we find out the best deterrents for murders... I vote for a lifetime of hard labor with the proceeds to survivors and relatives, execution in

some cases and addressing root causes. The polarization in America over gun control and other issues make me wonder if it's time to turn in my gun, or do I need it more than ever?

Some want an AR to 'protect' them from a government they believe no longer represents them. Should there be mini-Merica's that make their own laws regarding gun control, immigration etc. and would that work? I don't want to live in a country where I'm so at odds with the gov, or so afraid of crime that I feel I need an assault rifle. I wouldn't mind giving it up if I was happier with the gov and felt safer from crime.

Those who would scrap the second amendment may be forgetting history. Hitler and other tyrants enacted gun control laws in order to weaken opposition. The Pandora's box of firearms be the muskets or assault rifles cannot be walked back. We should do our very best to keep them out of the hands of violent people and to keep them safely stored away from children. Other than that, responsible adults should be allowed to have them primarily to protect society from tyrannical government.

## **Secession**

## **Secrets**

Since God knows what I'm thinking, so I can tell him things I wouldn't tell anyone else... #muffins

## **Selfishness**

## **Shopping and the Mall**

Like our church, Twelve Oaks mall is changing... more and more poster models are black men and women. Eventually will they only be black or mixed-race models? The freckly, green eyed red haired 'Celtic' girls will be replaced by freckled faced 'black Irish.' Skip

ahead another generation and they will be replaced sub-Saharan...all beautiful by most standards and people of worth, skip ahead again and there may be nothing but ruins.

It's back to school time and the prettiest cashiers are gone...is this what we're left with? Kidding, kidding they're fine!

It's freezing cold as I dodge a parking lot lugey and enter the Kroger store... that's all I've got.

Eureka! Went to the store and for once remembered everything I went there for.

## **Sitting on the Fence**

'Sitting on the fence is a dangerous course you could even take a bullet from the peacekeeping force'... Dire Straits, not to mention: robbed, assaulted, taped and raped.

I think we received a lot of miss-information from theologians and scientist alike... not to mention a few other places.

'If you choose not to decide you still have made a choice'... Rush

'I do not believe in a fate that falls on men however they act; but I do believe in a fate that falls on them unless they act'... G.K. Chesterton

## **Slander**

## **Smoking**

## **Social Engineering**

We should have the right to discriminate unless life and limbs are endangered. You should be able to discriminate for any reason you want, stupid or otherwise. If it's really dumb, you may be punished economically and that's fine. Anyone should be able to move into any neighborhood they can afford but the government shouldn't finance moves via affirmative-action quotas or other social engineering schemes.

## **Society**

Immigration, gun control, welfare, racism, sexism, geopolitics... everything needs tweaking, but I can't think of anything that needs toppling except perhaps the special interests who have us policing the world and fighting perpetual wars.

I am not fundamentally opposed to your way of life but I'm certainly not for it and I'm tired of supporting and financing it through coercive means. I'm not saying our culture is better than anyone else's, just saying I'm sticking with it. I don't mind being exposed and influenced by others, but I don't like being overwhelmed. Neither do I support fighting to perpetuate the system that's in place. Being human I want to be part of society, but I want to live sovereignly and maybe even separately with people of somewhat like minds... if there are any 😊

Let dreamers in who at their own expense can make a good case that they will benefit society instead of draw excessively from it over their lifetimes. If they have done well they or their parents should have the ways and means to spend a case for themselves. Also look at how much welfare they may have received and if the ratio is way too high, kiss them goodbye, unless they've become outstanding potential citizens.

IQ probably is a somewhat biased test but it is useful per the society it's specific to. We can accept that or change society to 'advantage' those who score low.

Their idea of fairness seems to be a beehive society. Like almost everyone, I unequivocally oppose sexual assault and real sexual-harassment, and believe that sexual

predators must be culled from society. I also oppose the *nanny stater's* efforts to prohibit consensual bawdy talk and flirting which their puritanical leadership would prohibit in an ongoing effort to make society resemble a bee hive or hyena clan. The cart should be fixed not overturned, and our mores tweaked not demolished. The spawn of Carrie Nation who would institutionalize prudism under the guise of equality should be opposed. The next step in their program may be to punish those they accuse of inappropriate talk or creeping.

In our society it is almost impossible to associate only with those you want to. Not a big deal but to as great an extent possible, people should have that right.

## Soldiers

'In peace there's nothing so becomes a man  
As modest stillness and humility:  
But when the blast of war blows in our ears,  
Then imitate the action of the tiger;  
Stiffen the sinews, summon up the blood,  
Disguise fair nature with hard-favour'd rage;  
Then lend the eye a terrible aspect'... Shakespeare

Actors employ stuntmen and presidents employ soldiers... if only wars were fought only by those who start them... whoever they are.

Whether we're *good little worker bees, good soldiers* or *good Germans* that opens us to being used and abused by the nefarious be they charlatans or full-blown monsters.

Staff Sergeant Jesus Rivera drives a self-propelled Howitzer and lots of Jesus' are killing and dying... WWJB?

Robot armies? We're going to be in a freaking world of hurt. I'm sure they'll have a conscience and be programmed to spare innocent life. Russian, Chinese, American robots... everyone will have them.

Just wondering if German soldiers rejected Christ en masse when they pledged loyalty to Hitler... weren't most of them buried under the crosses not swastikas? Just asking.

The cults promise eternal life for dead soldiers, which makes for great fighters, great battles and deafness...

Our boys have always fought and died for the rich who claim they're protecting us. Sometimes they are and sometimes we need alliances, more often we're stupidly fighting to further enrich the rich... who hire half of us to fight the other half.

"One Christmas in the desert comes the Padre and we've been killing people all day, 'come on lads, let's sing some Carols, peace on earth, good will towards man.' I'm afraid not, sorry padre, not for me, and my religion was knocked out of me".. British tank soldier.

Then he found the jawbone of a recently killed donkey. He picked it up and killed 1,000 Philistines with it'... Judges 15:15. ~ Hmmm.

'The murder of a man even during wartime is still murder'... The Red Baron

## **Sons of Light... Sons of Darkness**

Very few are completely sons of light or sons of darkness. Some are better or worse than average, and most tiptoe the line, switching back-and-forth.

I'd be happy to align with the sons of light but it's hard to tell who they.

We've only been dealing with *the sons of darkness* for 200 years, in Europe it's been 1,000 in the Middle East 3,000, meanwhile the sons of light, also Jewish often play a weaker hand than their 'brilliant' brethren. On the 'bright side' scripture seems to indicate that they will get their just deserts... everyone will.

I think the sons of light and sons of darkness often tiptoe along the line, stepping back and forth from time to time. I doubt any are completely *light* or *dark*. The guys working on top-secret satellites to keep us safe from attack may include extreme ideologues who do good and bad like the rest of us... or who like Einstein, are brilliant but 'human.'

For example when the United States' nuclear secrets were given to the Russians by the Rosenbergs to the what side were they on? And long term is it better than both countries have it so there's a balance of power or would've been better if only we had it?

Are there *sons of light* and *sons of darkness* in the; US, Russia China, Europe Africa and Asia or was that simply an Essenes phenomenon in ancient Israel? If there are sons of light and sons of darkness everywhere, in what ratio do they occur and how much influence do they have? I'm guessing they occur everywhere in relatively equal per capita ratios and their influence is closely related to their wealth and power... like it's always been.

In what ratio are Hollywood moguls' sons of light or of darkness? Is what Jodie Foster said true, that they're not just ruining America, they're ruining the whole world? Or will they reform it positively as many believe.

## Sovereign Separation

I'm trying to live as a separatist... the remote and the delete button are all I have to work with now, but I'm praying for a change.

Sovereign separation and coexistence. I'd like to be geographically away from them and if we encounter each other be civil, humane and unwaivering.

The blackification of America continues... my countrymen are enamored by black American culture... c'est la vie and que cera.

*I would 'symbolically' secede' from the union before embracing the Africa-nation of America. I might secede literally if 'the law' allowed and there was somewhere to go, but wouldn't voluntarily surrender the citizenship rights our ancestors fought so hard for.*

*I respect and admire blacks and people of all races but also respect and admire my people. I don't want them to be absorbed or replaced which is what I think happens when we go beyond 'our borders,' If we could 'mix' and maintain our appearance and other characteristics, I wouldn't have a problem but that's not what happens... oops I did it again.*

Content of one's character is an excellent criterion, but we shouldn't be bound to it. Not only would that encroach upon freedom of choice but since characters can mis-characterize their character, we should use our own intellect and experience not some politicized PCP definition of character to gauge individual character.

As far as I know separatism isn't a realistic option, if it were and I were younger I'd consider it... I wouldn't opt for a 'whites only' community but think people of any 'color' have the right to communities of their own. My idea of separatism would be ...

Seems like some peeps want me to acquiesce, rubberstamp and *poodle on over* ... aint gonna happen no more.

Won't we miss these people if we separate from them? I'm willing to cross that bridge when we come to it... and unless we blow it up they'll be following close behind.

If you have little or no interest in peeps other than 'live and let live,' is it racist and discriminatory? I think not, it's ethical and loving in its own way since engagement can lead to ruin. Why aid, abet, support and be co-opted by those who would force their worldview on us? Sovereignty may be impractical at the moment but someday it will be a reality.

At this point in time you can't have a white NFL or NBA but if someday you have a colony based on freedom from forced association you can have none African leagues if you so desire.

Think about it, if you oppose Africanation you may need a security detail and a lawyer. Group thought on the subject has been so well institutionalized that many Americans believe we owe them not just equality but special status and reparations. If you oppose that you are considered a racist psycho.

## Space is the Place!

'We are searchlights, we can see in the dark. We are rockets, pointed at the stars'... Pink (Steve Mac, Alecia B. Moore, John McDaid)

Space might provide an alternative to perpetual war but how many will choose it?

*I'm not against diversity I'm against calculated diversity... as in we should/must have a certain number of this and a certain number of that on our game show etc.*

*From time to time, alliances are necessary, otherwise those we abandon will be conquered, join up with tyrants and come after us. Does that mean we should head for the hills of space to get away from it all? If we do, we will encounter all of the problems we've encountered on our fair planet. We can't get away from human nature no matter where we are.*

*So, if we colonize space, we may avoid some of the battles on earth but we'll have other battles and adventures that will be just as dangerous. In the long run life in space will probably be a continuation of human history, unless a just and mighty ruler comes along to reign forever and ever.*

*However, one advantage or necessity for colonizing space is that if the human race wipes itself out on earth, at least a remnant may survive in the heavens. Another plus is that a space colony may be able to control its destiny without constant interference by earthly governments that pursue an agenda you may despise.*

*The next question is, 1,000 years from now do you go back and find what's left on earth or do they find what's left of you in space?*

In *the colony*, religious proselytizing should be limited, just as big money political campaigning should be. Both are forms of; influence peddling and constitutional obstructionism in the same league as scionism. Those who would use great wealth, fear religious fear mongering etc. to further their special interest group shouldn't be admitted and if they emerge after admittance should be urged or purged from the colony before they do irreparable damage. They should be allowed to peacefully move on or schism along with their material wealth. If they opt for hereditarily power and influence that's their right and business but not in a colony that disavows those things.

**Membership via qualifying and then a popular vote. No elite electoral college, but voters can't be on the dole.**

**If someone brings SS DNA and spreads it, said offspring and perpetrators will be removed from colony or sterilized if removal isn't possible.**

**I like Springsteen's songs but his PTB and deplorables and mine are probably quite different. So, wars continue, and both sides fight to rid the world of those they deem deplorable and both sides think they're of God and the others are of the devil... I suggest we try to get along but if we can't we should separate and use the vastness of space to preserve life and liberty... the time is Nye.**

**No one's ruled out and no one's ruled in, nor should there be quotas imposed on the colony...**

Those 'joining' understand and agree that they're not privileged characters, regardless of what may have happened to them or their ancestors in the past. Everyone's treated the same, entitled to equal rights and nothing else.

Across the infinit-verse there've probably been planets with wars like ours or worse, and some of those planets may have destroyed themselves...

Hate to say it but there's already a race war in America. Elsewhere in the world there are continual race and ethnic wars occurring, some low intensity others truly horrific. IMO it's often better to go our separate ways than kill, be; killed, capitulate, coopted or lulled... but where do we go? Space... the next frontier.

**Liberate you, liberate me, do what you want and let others do what they want as long as they're not hurting other's lives, limbs, health or livelihood... and be careful in judging the last of those.**

It's time for the Umish astronauts to get off the treadmill and out of the rat race, time to opt out of Googl-ization, Facebook-nation and the Amazoning of commerce. The leadership of all three hold world views that are anathema to core American values like individualism and freedom of speech. We should regulate, use and bust them but not be used by them, and that's not going to be easy.

**"In our narrow, confined existence, we tend to forget the essence of life ... All of us forget that before everything else, we are men, ephemeral beings lost in the immense universe'... Jean Jaurès**

## **Spirituality**

Maybe it's true that we're *electrical* spirit beings and maybe the Jews are the chosen people and maybe they have to try to run the banks, media etc. in order to be self-sufficient because maybe God helps those who help themselves and maybe they had to kill those ancient peoples because they were incorrigibly evil...maybe. And on and on it goes because prophecy is not yet fulfilled, if the New Testament is true will the Jews have to a convert or else? Don't know about you but I don't know... I'm interested, hopefully not obsessed and rather curious.

## **Sports and Extra-size**

**'I regard golf as an expensive way of playing marbles'... G.K. Chesterton**

**No pain no gain might be right but do your own diligence, as it may result in excruciating pain down the road. Talk to the champions as well as the coaches to find out what really works. Don't be spent like dollars to further your coaches career.**

There's all kinds of fancy stretches, exercises and exercise machines we can do or use. Most lead to injuries, so try maintaining the ability to do what you need and like to do. Maybe it's the Chinese who say you have a certain number of heartbeats... don't spend them out your joints. Someone else said, 'When I feel like exercising, I lie down until the feeling goes away'... nice.

Exercise is important but no more magic than good nutrition, possibly supplements and good health care. Centenarians around the world are generally active by nature or necessity, but rarely spend time in activities that wear the body out.

In a game called Cricket they wait for a wicket ☺

Discussing the McGregor – Mayweather fight, one of the ‘Chicks on the Right’ said she hates fighting sports, and that’s A-Okay. I respect fighters, just as I respect the military and think both have by necessity been part of humanity since day one... that’s not to say I like the blood in a fight or a war.

**Only one Pittsburgh Steelers stood for the national anthem and Fox and Friends asks, "who side do you come down on, the players or the president?" I think there're alternatives, they just haven't been recognized. They're still in the ignored or laughed at stage. They should have the right to kneel or not and we should have the right to form a league of our own.**

You probably won't exercise to a slim figure and if you do, you might wear out your joints in the process. Caloric control is the better method, along with regular, targeted, moderate exercise.

**Eventually I'll try human growth hormone because the only thing I got from testosterone was hair in all the wrong places.**

**"I don't run marathons because the guy that ran the first one died right after it" ... Becky Quick**

## **Stereotypes**

There're joke tellers, story tellers, preachers, BS'ers and listeners... what are you?

## **Stress**

'Sometimes, it feels like someone took a knife, baby, edgy and dull and cut a six-inch valley through the middle of my skull.

At night I wake up with the sheets soaking wet

and a freight train running through the middle of my head

Oh Oh Oh, I'm on fire' ... Mats Karlsson, Peter Olander, Peter Hermansson  
(Springsteen made it famous)

Everybody has a plan until they get punched in the face" ... Mike Tyson

There are people who turn gray because their life is one big stressful even and others who turn gray because they're subject to such people.

'You can claim to be surprised once, after that you're just unprepared'... unknown

## **Success (Failure)**

'I owe my success to having listened respectfully to the very best advice, and then going away and doing the exact opposite'... G.K. Chesterton. That Mr. Ches... is stupid.

Of course, 'My Pillow' Mike loves his pillows... they've made him a gazillionaire!

Why do we spend so much time spent digging holes instead of climbing ladders?

Job one - be a better man... blessings and benefits will come to you and those around you. The question is whose idea of a 'better man' and 'God's will' are you going to follow yours, or theirs?

If you want a boat then take a note, you might get lucky if you float a quote.

**Pay hard workers and *reward* result getters.**

Not sure how God feels about quitters, but the universe disposes of them.

You can't spend your life double checking... nor can you not.

Lord knows, the world fights us every step of the way and eventually wins, but like Goethe said *we must not give up*.

**One of the most useful things in human society and evolution has been observing and capitalizing on patterns in nature and behavior...**

Listen better, learn more and we may suffer fewer lumps on the head and bumps in the road.

**The choice is yours; work hard or think hard... and it doesn't hurt to do both.**

Legacy? I don't particularly care and find it offensive when people bring it up as an insult and accusation. I do want to *make an impact* and there's nothing wrong with that. I don't think we're meant to limit ourselves to being cogs in a wheel.

Applaud effort... reward results.

**The greatest thing in the world would be to do something good for God, like lots of peeps claim to have done... that would be an honor!**

**Do a little better instead of a little worse... it's 'challenging enough' and leads in the right direction.**

*Don't go through life 'pass fail' try for an A or a B.*

'Everyone's hustling to have a little scene...any trick in the book now baby that I can find'... Donovan

**'Whatever else may be said of man, this one thing is clear: He is not what he is capable of being'... G.K. Chesterton**

'If you're undefeated you're not fighting the right people, you can learn a lot more from a loss than a victory'... Matt Hughes

**'Barricade the road that goes Nowhere'...Psalm 119:29**

## **Superstition**

## Supremacism

So, who's the supremacists anyway? I vote for peeps who demand others bend to their will and even finance their agenda. It's usually based on the proposition their worldview's right and must be victorious no matter what.

For supremacists, freedom and equality are achieved by dominating others, which it seems gives them a feeling of control over their own lives.

We stopped owning slaves a long time ago, but others *including* Africans have not, so please stop preaching...

The US has long been ruled by the eastern establishment, who've recently been joined by west coast elites. This is a free country so anyone who's highly successful can join the clique... just don't upset their applecart.

Maybe you don't care but I don't want to be ruled by supremacists of any kind...

I sympathize with almost everything you say you must do for your children but that doesn't mean I accept the superiority of your desires.

Are Zuckerberg, Gates, Bezos, Sergei and the rest of the tech titans ideological supremacists?

Watching the TV show apocalypse World War I, was I the only one who thought that young 'Willie the Crown Prince' of Germany looked a lot like England's current Prince Charles. Apparently the royal families of; England, Germany and Russia were related and the King, Tsar and Kaiser were cousins... wasn't that nice. I wonder if they were all afflicted with some form of hereditary mental illness, and what would that mean for the current royals? Gates, Bezos, Zuckerberg, Brin and the rest of the modern 'princes' may be similarly afflicted, and some researchers say that CEO's in general are psychopaths. We may be swayed to support there's schemes because on the other side lurk; Bolsheviks, mandarins and supremacist monsters intent on conquest and murder.

I'm not mad at wives for being wife supremacists, or at people having babies the tax payer pays for... I'm mad at the people that make this possible... and I wonder is the enemy us like Pogo said?

Be it Obama's teachable moments, Rahm Emanuel's never letting a crisis go to waste, or Jerry Falwell's blame games, they are Bolsheviks, fascists and supremacists...all despicable in my book.

## **Surveillance Nation**

**'I hate those CIA bastards I'm going to smash the CIA into 1000 pieces and scatter them into the wind'... JFK (reputed)**

**If you have nothing to hide you have nothing to fear, is that the standard we're willing to live under?'... Rand Paul**

## **Survival**

**'What is the common denominator, of existence ~ one-word survival'... L Ron Hubbard**

**Suspicion like judging is natural and not so bad unless we carry it to extremes... a certain amount is normal, natural and essential to survival.**

**The basic rules of safe driving have changed very little, to survive; slowdown, look for brake lights, stay out of and keep an eye of blind spots, and don't text... caveat emptor, I must be a hypocrite because I violate these.**

**Of course, it's difficult but maybe the challenge of men folk and women folk getting along is the reason we are here. How else will our families and species survive!**

**Robots? Thanks, but I'll take flesh and blood over nuts and bolts.**

**I neither plan nor want to leave anyone behind, nor do I want to be led down the Primrose path by the groupthink juggernaut.**

## **Symbolism**

## **Taxes**

Funny... things keep *getting better* but not fast enough to stave off death and taxes.

**I'll stop avoiding taxes when the government stops using our money to elevate others at our expense.**

Tony Katz emphatically says taxation is theft, I'd say it can be... IMO he's engaging in rabble-rousing.

## **Teamwork**

## **Technology**

The corporations used to talk about things like 'better living through chemistry' and their ag revolution dramatically multiplied food production, but chemicals also make us sick and infertile. Ag chemicals are a double edged sword that help humanity feed the masses. Many in the affluent countries that invent these technologies seem intent on dying out due to embracing the religion of ZPG, even as they subsidize others who embrace the religion of be fruitful and multiply' as they replace westerners.

**I wonder if more peeps get heart attacks from foreign 'help desks' than from shoveling snow?**

## **Terrorism**

**'Once you had a German worker in the dole line you had a potential Nazi storm trooper'...**  
American Heroes Channel

## **Think Tanks**

Think tanks, Center for a Functioning Society', might just want it to function their way. Their Rick Wortzman from the center says, 'in recent years companies have given investors more than they give their workers, ... not good.

## **Third Rails and Taboos to Talk About**

I'm a market researcher and that extends into religion, spirituality eugenics, race, sex, marriage and everything else...

Here're a couple things that are taboo to say:

1. They spend a lot of time stealing land and blowing things up. (We're only supposed to say that about certain countries.)
2. A man's instinct is to have sex, resulting in fathering children, and there's nothing wrong with following that instinct if he can afford to support them. (We're supposed to forgive some men for this and even give their baby mamas a check but other men who do it are made to pat through the nose.)

## **Time**

**"There's hours of time on the telephone line talking about things to come, sweet dreams and flying machines in pieces on the ground" ... James Taylor**

On the timeline of infinity, a trillion years the same as a second and either can be significant.

Funny, the things that stick with you through the years... some of which you can't repeat.

As I rush to pick up my friend, I begin to wonder why I'm rushing... is it to impress him with my timeliness... think I'll be late instead... # reducing expectations

Isn't 'Time' something? Like when we show up at exactly '8:00' when that's what we're aiming to do, even after driving for five hours. Another thing is names, they have a meaning, and historically were often given for a reason. Trump is one, Weir is another... the latter being the name of a murderer.

There's usually time to do the important things... unless we waste it on that which isn't. I think time is much more than an arbitrary concept. When you turn 40, 50 and 60 certain things happen more or less 'on schedule.' It takes an hour for something to cook, minutes for something to boil and perhaps a day for paint to dry. Time isn't arbitrary, inconsequential or 'dreamed up', in a sense it's about all we have. Time may be infinite but our time on earth as living breathing people is finite, as are the lives of those around us. Every funeral and nursing home visit attests to that.

Randomosity? Over an infinite period of time and the right conditions maybe elements could combine to form life, but I still vote for God. Did he however only reveal himself to certain people and are all other understandings of him fraudulent and demonic? Maybe not.

Mother nature and father time have all kinds of allies in trying to get rid of us after 70 or 80 years were still rushing around for half we're gonna fall and break a leg break the pelvis on chasing kids, grandkids, dollars or whatever. Hopefully those allies of mother nature are unwitting otherwise we really have a problem.

**Time and space are very important whether it's air travel, electricity, hot water or unclogging the garbage disposal - take your time and leave some space.**

**'It's our time in the universe and I don't care if we're last or first'... Chris Cornell. In this era of Donald Trump were probably supposed to say we want to be first or we don't care... I really don't want to be last :)**

## Tolerance

Your words say coexist, but your actions say conquest.

## Torture

It's one thing to waterboard someone because they might reveal info to save your city from being destroyed, it's another to torture because you don't like the way they run theirs.

## Tradition (Trapped by)

'Tradition means giving votes to the most obscure of all classes, our ancestors. It is the democracy of the dead. Tradition refuses to submit to that arrogant oligarchy who merely happen to be walking around'... G.K. Chesterton

*In any case, we come from people with 'Clifford the Big Red Dog' ambitions and expectations. We resist being held back by tradition, superstition, religion or the like. We respect those who 'honor' those constraints but we're not ashamed of our God given drive and ambition.*

They're very smart, creating traditions as a means of padlocking us... I admire their pluckiness and frankly don't blame them... that doesn't mean I'll stand idly by forever.

## Trains, Planes and Subway Cars

The Embraer 175 took off from O'Hare for Houston and I settled in for the 3-hour flight. A few rows ahead I saw a man wearing a cowboy hat and I thought it would be the first of many... little did I know, I'd see more *head scarves* in Texas than Stetsons. It wasn't long before we hit turbulence and I was reciting the Lord's Prayer.

## Tranquility

## TRaveling...

“I started out from God knows where. Guess I’ll know when I get there.” –Tom Petty

## Tribes and Natives

“Kill the Indian, and Save the Man”: Capt. Richard H. Pratt (and he thought he was ‘helping’ them)

The two worst mistakes made by America’s founders were how they interacted with the natives  
slavery... the latter was preventable the former may have been inevitable.

**Montana territory, the Sioux attacked a hay gathering detail and Colvin with his Henry rifle killed 275 Sioux in the ensuing battle...was he defending himself and others or was he a mass murderer?**

One *tradition* the west made famous that needs to be relegated to the dust heap is colonialism...

## Truth, Lies, Justice (show us the video!)

'When confronted with the impossible the rational mind will grope for the logical'... Claire Fraser

How can there be two completely different honest answers to the same question? There can but don't expect consensus.

I almost can't comprehend that North Koreans believe their leaders lies, but many Americans believe just as fervently in evolution or creationism, neither of which is considered fact by the other side. Then there are cults and splinter groups like the Warren Jeff's sect in which people further prove our susceptibility to persuasion, scare tactics and intimidation.

I respect the old and new testaments equally but doubt that either is the truth, the whole truth and nothing but the truth... for a lot of people that makes me a heretic.

**You can love a spouse as much as you love your kids and parents but that doesn't mean surrendering to their demands, even if their demands are *lawful*. If majority rule leads to oppression, subversion of the constitution, don't voluntarily capitulate. People should not be held accountable for other's ancestors having suffered historical oppression. Hopefully those who suffered are at peace now and that 'gift' may be the only 'reward' they receive. Their descendants and everyone else is certainly entitled to equality but little else, entitlements should be limited, rights should be broader. We're all entitled to redress for crimes against us during our lives but compensation for crimes against ancestors is a slippery slope. It is fair and reasonable to order compensation for survivors in particular, and for heirs sometimes if the perpetrators are alive. If said crimes can be proven beyond a reasonable doubt and a family fortune has been amassed as a result of those crimes, then it should be shared with society or heirs of the oppressed. The slope however is slippery because the question of financial compensation will not doubt be politicized and 'democratized.'**

I will take a court of law over the kind of justice friends and family dispense any day.

The grape vine never sleeps, and our tongues rarely miss a chance to stab us in the back.

To this day people are enslaving their neighbors, shooting, bludgeoning and macheting each other, and if you expect mercy and justice from them you're sadly mistaken. Don't give away the farm... fortify it.

In some cases, I want justice and in others just fairness... in our case fairness would be quite enough.

**It's not just politicians and 'the other guy' who're lying bastards, human beings are that in general. Unless someone's in the catbird seat and has you by the short hairs, they're unlikely to tell you the truth.**

**There are too many inconsistencies for me to think either the old or New Testament is the truth, whole truth and nothing but the truth. Of course, the majority probably think I'm wrong and they may be right... they might also be other things. I don't have a list of questions but coming to mind is that Jesus hasn't been here in 2000 years although people claim to see him all the time. Is he testing us, or is the universe so big that even**

the son of God, or God if that's who he is, need thousands of years lot to get around the place? If he's limited by physical laws like the speed of light, how could he ever reach galaxies light years away, if they need reaching?

**'If you're not confused you don't know what's going on'...Rory Devaney. # life is full of surprises**

## **TV and Media Matters**

“When you trust your television

What you get is what you got

Cause when they own the information, oh

They can bend it all they want “...John Mayer

Surfing the channels there's trouble, beauty and promise everywhere. The first channel was about gangs in Latin America but it could have been LA. Next channel reported on unemployment and the opioid epidemic in Eastern KY, then a 7th generation clothier in England catering to 8 generations of wealthy British gents. Switching to Bloomberg TV they were interviewing a wealthy merchant who sells to Saudi princes, some of whom may now be under arrest at the Ritz. Then it was to NASA's channel featuring our lovely blue planet filmed from the space station. Next it was to the old movie 'Drums Along the Mohawk', depicting showing colonists fighting Indians and Brits, with an interesting line from a colonist, 'I don't know why the Indians are fighting us, we've treated them well.' Last night it was Savage Kingdom on NATGEO and a look at lion society. The king rules a few years, the queens longer and always time marches on. In each of the above, there's cooperation and battles between sexes, races, religions and ideologies. Mix all this with advancing technology, eternal superstitions and you get a powder keg! What an

interesting, crazy world... and what entertainment and heartburn we provide for God and the angels!

I rush from place to place to get home by 8 for seltzer, popcorn and TV...just to get corn in my teeth. We snack and watch TV and, like John Mayer said, 'we keep waiting, waiting for the world to change.'

**Most news anchors are basically actors and they wear earbuds, through which producer/directors prompt them. Their job is to repeat what they've been told in a convincing manner... it's an act and wizards behind the curtain pull the strings.**

**The Britts may be more honest calling their anchors 'readers' or 'presenters.' Of course there are notable exceptions ...**

Are the talk show hosts; patriots, agitators or traitors? It's an echo chamber, so take your pick.

Watching the news of Trump, FISA etc makes me think the news of the world is the ultimate reality and both sides are equally accountable...#funny, not funny.

Norman Lear is going to boycott the Kennedy Center awards if Trump goes. This shows you the kind of people to get such awards, a left-wing propagandist he ridiculed traditional values through Archie Bunker ... wrongly for the most part.

We're treated like sheeple by marketers but we're not stupid, just susceptible to their herd mentality triggering ads. Case in point, robo calls from 'Elizabeth', from 'card services', 'Her cute, weary sounding voice is designed to garner attention and sympathy. Elizabeth's artificial robot voice has bilked thousands of out of millions.

**The morning TV shows compete for the hearts and minds of our kids. PBS against CBN is an obvious case of the *dichotomy*, both use; Muppets, cartoons and friendly adult role models to entertain and more important to hook, influence and 'educate' impressionable young viewers.**

**These powerful elitists skillfully indoctrinate future generations, while appealing for 'tax-deductible contributions ' from parents and grandparents. Both sides want the hearts and minds of the children... #always have, always will.**

Advertisers drive everything in the media and net and if you say you're immune because you're supported by 'select' advertisers or other means, I think you're wrong. The 'select'

advertisers are also part of the controlling clique, and no more than competitors of the one's you won't use... but at their core they are controlled by the same uber rich. The cadre of billionaires running the show are not much different from one another be they Bolsheviks or Free-masons.

I watched a story on Octa Pharma's plasma business on RT. I don't believe a great deal of the news on; RT, Aljazeera and China Central TV but neither are we likely to see many of the stories they cover on our corporate media at all. We can research further if we want and by allowing them we at least hear about issues that otherwise we probably never would. 'Dr. Margolis' says people are giving plasma twice a week instead of once a month which the Red Cross recommends... one plasma seller says 'I'm like a cow giving milk.'

It's confusing to watch multiple news channel, so we'd rather watch one we like, agree with and think is true. That's a good way to be led down the Primrose Path, which is worse than being confused enough to think for yourself.

Does the deep state track who's watching RT, Al Jazeera, China TV etc and is that a mark against you? Even though I think they're 98% propaganda, I want to see the 2% that US media never shows and monitor it propaganda myself.

I'll bet Alex Jones, FOX, CNN etc. have people watching these networks, so feel free to let such proxies do your thinking... or not. For that matter, if someone dropped in from Mars and watched; FOX, CNN, PBS, NPR, OAN etc. they might think they're all largely propaganda

The Arab and Chinese channels are gone, currently we can watch US corporate news channels, BBC or RT, and I wouldn't be surprised if RT is removed. It's obviously biased but I'd like to see something other than just Anglo-American views...let us filter the news ourselves.

Fake news, BLM and the like have been exposed but they've no intention of coming clean, instead they're doubling down. They've decided to publish more fake news and engage in more social engineering, for example showing even more black men and white women on TV and the movies. Is their 'art' reflecting life, is life being altered by their 'art', are they giving us 'what we want', or are they giving us what they've decided we need?

Fantasized about Bo, Nicole and Jennifer as well as local TV babes, but that's a secret...

I've never had an intelligent conversation with them, maybe due to 'politeness' among friends. On TV what I hear is 90% agitation, revisionism and redistributionism. The other 10% makes sense.

Whether you're watching conservative or a liberal TV you can be damn sure that big money's behind it. The 1/10 of 1% are behind what we see and despite both sides claims that they're in it for us, I believe they're only in it for them. Their statements to the contrary are betrayed by their actions, which incessantly make them richer and us more indebted to them, their banks and the other institutions they have usurped from the people.

I think Pacifica admits their bias, while NPR feigns objectivity as much as FOX and the rest, though none are... the dif is that NPR receives taxpayer money.

I've been watching a bit of RT although I realize that it's probably 90 % Russkie propaganda and I don't trust the Russians any farther than I can throw them which would only be backwards for me I want to hear that temper cent that might be useful information and you say I shouldn't I think my friends would say I shouldn't even watch that and I shouldn't support their advertisers well I usually don't watch the commercials on any station as much as possible and fox I think is 50 percent wealthy Republican propaganda and MSNBC and CNN ice 90% leftist elitist propaganda. I'll bet that Alex Jones MSNBC and Fox are all monitoring them so why shouldn't we? I watch them all try to scrutinize them and don't watch their sponsors as much as possible if you say I should at least patronize the sponsors of the shows I like I would say I'm already paying an arm and a leg for cable TV that's enough I don't want to pay 'them' twice.

Turn the TV, podcast or radio off as much as possible and think for yourself. Process what you've heard instead of someone who's provided the info processing and interpreting what they've just said to you... that's no good.

'We are not here to stand Idly by, we're here to leave a mark'... Lexus. Is it *weird* that commercials have the best lines?

**The PTB under the guise of 'bringing us together' demand that we capitulate to their worldview. With the help of the media they try to create a Kumbaya moment to help *unify the country... aka squelch dissent.***

The same cabal that controls Wall Street, controls the corporate media like the NYT and the new heavyweights; Google, Facebook etc.

Ridicule is rude, crude and socially acceptable. It effectively marginalizes opponents and is used extensively by both sides. Difference is that the media, which is the primary means of delivering ridicule is largely controlled by one side.

**People question why Jeff Bezos bought the Washington post that outdated old paper but the Washington Post, New York Times, the Journal and a few others still drive the news'...Hillary Clinton**

Is it discrimination to vote with your remote? Well, that's getting harder to do as media becomes more inter-woven like a spider web of deceit. Already most news shows have 'diverse' anchor desks and we are encouraged to watch and agree with these heads. Eventually will there be only 'diverse' teams of anchors and reporters? If you say conservative shows already have 'conservative' POC's so it doesn't matter, I say the media is already being PC and at this rate will bend over backwards to support the POC NWO. There will be no need to force us to watch PC POC propaganda because every desk will be 'properly' diversified - if it isn't already. Presently commercials, sitcom's etc. have gone that route in an elitist attempt to re-engineer society and our minds.

**“Like a game show contestant with the parting prize I can't believe my eyes”...Blues Traveler**

## **UCGR**

... a pre-Con. church model where you're allowed to question; Constantine, CS, Paul - anyone you want.

... a pre-ligion

Old Testament, Pre-Con-New Test., GR2, 14. C... tis what it is. # not your grandpa's Chevrolet.

Euchre a PreCC Church worshipping the God of the infiverse. Jesus is revered and debated as are all Bible figures. It is what it is, and where it is. Other religions are respected...

## **Unions**

## **Utopia**

## **Vacations**

**Things that I had to relearn after our vacation; TV remote, car controls and my toothbrush  
☺**

**Vacation in Florida's, we're home and I'm in the Jacuzzi watching UFC heavyweight timeline and Two and a Half Men... at the moment life is good! Even though it's almost winter and I might be roundly criticized for wasting time and polluting my mind... #it's only TV**

**Yesterday I tripped over my shoes at the store which was better than tripping today at the airport...**

**We're finally home and my next stop is the workshop to make sure it hasn't been burgled or disturbed by varmints... fortunately everything's in order and no one's taken up residence there ☺**

## **(La) Vagina Papers**

**Generally, men know little about vaginas and we're not encouraged to talk about them. When we do we're often insensitive, which does no good. It's wrong to ridicule but it doesn't hurt to learn new things... we should try.**

For males, sexual response is blood flow and imagination first, hormones second... for women it may be the opposite.

It's directly underneath, making it difficult to see from the front or the back without one party or the other bending over.

**That's not even it... the little patch is a decoy, false flag, a diversion... the sweet thing's hidden away.**

I disagree that sex is fundamentally an act of violence against women, but it can be a tussle or worse. With people as well as in the animal world sex can be violent but doesn't have to be. Some women apparently like it rough so riddle me that. I suppose these things can be endlessly analyzed and debated.

Guys and gals...when we get together, one has a job and the other has work to do.

Boobs can be decoys, diverting attention long enough for a woman to 'escape', or they can be an enticement if she wants to 'get caught.'

*Maybe* I'd rather fantasize about fantasizing, than actually fantasize, much less actually have sex with numerous women. Fantasizing about airbrushed starlets *works better* than imagining making love to mortals.

Although orgasms are important to women and they can have multiples, I think they're even more important to men. For us they subconsciously signal a successful transfer of material whether we realize it or not.

**IMO your mate has the right to refuse you and if it happens you've the right to seek it elsewhere., otherwise you're under their control. Abstinence and self-control are important and fine but if you're needs are too frequently denied you have the right to take reasonable action... you ding I ding.**

My God! It's one of his crowning achievements but they won't let us see it... I think it's almost as mysterious to them as it is to us.

**Genitalia... now that's a serous world for some serious *stuff*.**

Her secret garden... we play a game of hide and seek, she hides and I seek... once a month she's in the mood and once a week she's willing 'whether she needs it or not.'. # cool with me.

**Twierking comes more naturally to some than to others... I prefer the *others* and find them sexier than the obsessive tail wagers.**

'We're going to head to the splits, everything is flowing in and out okay'... is it just me?

**Does the traffic girl get 'the joke' about the south split being slippery today? She smiles so maybe she does, maybe she's making 'the joke', maybe she's embarrassed or maybe I just have a dirty mind...that's what some would say.**

Ah, the ladies... plucked and polished, bleached, dyed and painted... how they drive us crazy!

The more I want it, the more she puts it on the shelf... but I still think she overvalues it a bit.

**One thing powerful men have in common is a sex drive be it Einstein, Franklin Jefferson they all 'got around.' Like most men they wanted intimate physical relationships. I don't know if women need it as much, they seem to want relations but don't seem as interested in sex except 'once a week whether they need it or not.'**

It's not because you have a vagina that I don't want you to rule me, it's because your brain is so different.

The traffic lady finally mentions conditions at the south split... nice.

Ladies, like it or not most men need a woman to dicker with... we're hard wired to crave your sex and approval.

Sex isn't just a primitive mammalian instinct, it goes back to reptiles or before... don't they have penises and vagina-like genitals and doesn't the sex drive extend to even more primitive live forms?

Another difference... women can have intense multiple orgasms yet it's not what they live for, while we on the other hand...

Asking someone why they want to have sex never gets a straight answer. We hide some feelings and don't understand primitive ones. We're not sure exactly what's going on even within ourselves, much less with others. When we try to surmise the motives of others we do even worse, maybe it's for; control, pleasure, procreation or togetherness we wonder. Experts tell us and what's its 'really' for but half the time they're full of hooey.

## Values

## Vegans

## Violence

Religionist credibility is thin in my little book... whether it was English protestants, German or French catholics and protestants, Russian orthodox Christians, Indian Hindus, Muslims of all types, Chinese, Burmese, Japanese Buhdhsts etc, hundreds of millions have been killed by religionist in pursuit of empire, gold, glory or to rid the world of their rivals. Would even more people have been killed over the centuries if these religions hadn't allowed or even encouraged violence... I guess we'll never know.

Add fast twitch muscles to fast twitch brains and guns, and you get shootings... just saying.

**They say most of the violent attacks against women in Germany are by migrants from north Africa. Does that mean sub-Saharan Africans moving through north Africa, North African Arabs or both?**

Two years ago, in Cologne, thousands of 'asylum-seekers' harassed and sexually assaulted women on a massive scale at New Year's celebrations. This year Berlin has set up safe zones for women. I think most of these asylum-seekers are Arab, Pakistani afghan he and perhaps African men... is the problem those cultures or their DNA?

## Voice Wreck-ognition

Siri doesn't transcribe, she translates English to Greek.

conflicting was transcribes as cunt licking... Wow that's bad Siri!

Humanity = you manatee (thanks to Siri)

## **Voting**

The right to vote? It shouldn't be a simple yes, no question. Do you plan on preserving and protecting the constitution or subverting it and do you constitute an overwhelming majority that may allow you to?

## **Weather**

## **WEB**

"Facebook has good aspects but was consciously designed to exploit human psychology and make as much money off people as possible. We're all chasing 'likes' - like me please!" ... FOX tech guy, on his interview with one of Facebook's co-founders.

## **Weeds Etc.**

As I make one mistake after another, it seems like only weeds prosper... but the old man said, 'never give up.'

## **What came first?**

The scientific and religious arguments are compelling but seem backed up with force or coercion, which makes them less compelling... for some of us anyway.

## Wholly Men... (of God?)

Zealots fundamentalist and ideologues can be very dangerous but that's not always the case. So watch them, watch your back and don't give them authority over others because they're likely to abuse it.

The radio-evangelist said, you're not going to make my decisions, I'm going to act how God wants me to. Is she actually following the will of God or a wholly woman or man's interpretation of that?

**From Mithras and Moses to Martin Luther people claim to be God's voice... they got the scoop and people had better believe 'or else!' I doubt they did and I doubt we ever will.**

I accept the probability of your premise that I'll meet my maker in the end but I'm not sure if your version is right, or if the near-death experience accounts from all over the world are more accurate. Anyway all the yapping, and 'warnings' you've so kindly provided won't do me a bit of good as 'It' will between the Good Lord and me. You're unlikely to be there to help or hinder me, and the scare tactics employed by the *wholly* men and their minions from the beginning of religious times may be justified, or may be poppycock.

Hammurabi might've been the first one to codify the law, and the Bible might've been the first place where much of the ancient's wisdom was recorded. They also realized that wisdom and knowledge can be different, which likely had been known since time immemorial. We still fail to honestly apply these principles, instead claiming credit for them.

## Willpower

*Will* is the most important thing... with it you can change the universe, without it you can't get out of bed

If someone's misused their leverage and then the tables turned, what's a person to do? Be fair...not poisoned by the past.

# Winter Freaking Wonderland!

## WIP IT GOOD!

*And when you asked for light I set myself on fire, And if I go away  
You'll find another slave, 'now I'm free from what you, free from what,  
free from what you are"...Audioslave*

## Wisdom

'And your wise men don't know what it's like to be thick as a brick'... Jethro Tull

It is sometimes said that the Jews are the smartest people on earth and I would not dispute that. However, wisdom is different than intellect and can come from the mouths of babes or people with mental deficiencies. Wisdom can be derived from instinct, experience or careful thought, while intellect is usually derived from some combination of genetics and study.

We can learn from sinners, saints and snakes but we should act like the former. Did you know that hyenas eat their dead? I guess they're just trying to survive but I wouldn't want to emulate them.

Life on planet earth; it's simple, it's complicated - make up your mind... or don't :) Some say job one is 'do no harm' but we can't even agree on what that means... so smile and be calm :)

There's nothing wrong with pondering and even being unsure of things.

I've met people who are wise but none who were all knowing, although some thought they were... or at least believe they're 'tapped in' aka 'in the know.'

My words but a whisper your deafness a shout'... Jethro Tull

I went to the doctor, I went to the mountains  
I looked to the children, I drank from the fountains  
There's more than one answer to these questions'... Indigo Girls

## **Working for a Living.... (and taking what they're giving)**

**'I've done my best to live the right way**

**I get up every morning and go to work each day**

**But your eyes go blind and your blood runs cold**

**Sometimes I feel so weak I just want to explode.**

**Gonna be a twister come to blow everything down**

**That ain't got the faith to stand its ground**

**Blow away the dreams that tear you apart' ... La Bruce**

**Whether it's making hockey sticks or automobile seats, one class of people gets rich and another gets arthritis.**

**Man isn't meant to live by bread alone, nor to slave away to enrich someone else, but it always seems to work that way, no matter what *the system*.**

**So, who will end up with the fruit of your lifetime of labor... It could be a spouse, sibling, or child and that's usually fine. It can also end up in the hands of the government, or complete strangers. We can't take it with, but we might bequeath it to someone or something we believe in.**

**Seeing a truck and beavertail trailer broken on the side of the road, I'm reminded of Sonny talking about them yesterday. I said we might invest in a 'tiny house' company if it can make a small profit. Learn how to start a corporation and get investors, or establish credit and work with the bank.**

**Most of use 'robots'... like the automatic transmission that shifts for us. I like it, but some would rather shift for themselves, thinking it's more fun. Most don't find it fun and would rather pay the extra dollar to have the robot shift. Some say we must draw the line or AI will take over and they might be right. On the other hand, the 'pre-ple' drew a line long time ago... now they're called chimps.**

The competent shouldn't be penalized for the ineptness of the incompetent, nor should they be penalized for the productivity of the highly efficient because the latter usually rig the system.

Life is not meant to be spent toiling for billionaires but after all these centuries we're still doing it...caveat emptor if you're brilliant enough or shady enough you can join their club and that's what keeps hooking us along.

**Job one -stop smoking, your mind will sharpen, you'll gain efficiency and your mental health will likely improve. Job two - if you're going to work with your hands, be your own boss. Sell your service, do the work, take a second job till you're profitable and eventually hire help.**

**Strange, I've been typing for 45 years but only today figured out the \$ is above the 4... # it's about time.**

'Working your fingers to the bone', means eventually wearing them out...

**As my finger bleeds I ask myself. 'how many F'ing times will I do stupid things like that?' I guess the answer is till the day I die, so I might as well get used to it and try being more careful.**

**Don't worry about getting everything right... just make it through the day.**

Working all day in my daddy's garage  
Driving all night, chasing some mirage'... thanks Bruce, one way or another lots of people are working in their Daddy's garage.

## **Worrying**

## **Wrestling with Racism**

The activist said it's impossible for blacks to be racist, but if the 'average' black American is X% white, can they be X% racist...just wondering ☺

As I listen to the celebrity 'explain things', I realize supporting equality for everyone isn't enough... we can't even agree on what 'equality' is. If you don't support Africation *the movement* considers you a pariah. It seems everyone wants special treatment and is convinced the *other guy* already gets it.

IMO mixed white/black kids are 'People of Color.' POCS are fine people, IMO they're also likely to vote and agitate for the POC worldview... which I respectfully disagree with.

A famous example of the above IMO is Barack Obama. I don't know how he identifies himself but IMO he lobbied and agitated for blacks, not whites and was an activist for a New World Order that favored blacks via income redistribution, etc. You may say he had to correct past injustices... I say equality is what we need, not entitlements.

Have more blacks come here as slaves, or more recently of their own free will? Just wondering...if that's okay.

'Let them call you racists, let them call you xenophobes, let them call you nativists, wear it as a badge of honor because every day we get stronger and they get weaker'... Steve Bannon. Hmm.

It means you haven't been co-opted, haven't drank the Kool-Aid, that you don't think that your ancestors were all wrong and theirs were all right. It means you believe in coexistence not capitulation, sovereignty not servitude and equal opportunity not reparations.

I don't walk, talk or think that way, and don't want to... if you want to, go right ahead...

Can I advocate inter-kindness, instead of inter-breeding? ... Darn.

I call myself a separatist not a racist... call me whatever you want.

Regarding a *white privilege* handout given by an NC school PTA: 'By the time the young people they get it again and again and again and it's not sensitizing them to racial differences I think it's polarizing, a form of shaming for some white youth and I would not want my child exposed to that. I think it's misguided we should be teaching everyone to respect each other I don't think that causing one race to feel guilty about things that happened generations ago is going bring us together. The problems that separate whites and blacks, a lot of it has to do with the economics and the culture and social class. I don't believe a second grader really can't understand and I think for the minority student it hurts them as well because it causes them to see themselves as victims'... Carol Swain, Author of *Abduction* and candidate for the mayor of Nashville. Will she be called a turncoat, or 'uncle or auntie Tom'...

The young man's shirt said 'Setting People Free' in red, black and green Pan-African flag colors. What did his shirt mean? Maybe I should have asked him ... and I can't blame him for seeming to enjoy his escargot the night before, but for some reason I wondered if income redistribution and quotas are involved in 'setting people free.

As far as redressing past grievances, two wrongs don't make a right... feel free to redistribute your income ~ not everyone else's.

I can't think of any 'important' inventions from sub-Saharan Africa in the past 10,000 years, or any great cornerbacks who've lacked that ancestry in the past ten... but maybe you can. Are these questions racist? I don't think they are and maybe they're examples of *even Steven*.

**You should have the right and option to marry whoever you want and the same not to. There also shouldn't be coercion, manipulation. Incentives, or pressure to steer you in a direction... I think there is.**

Were the 750,000 Americans killed in the Civil war enough 'justice' ...that might be two soldiers killed for every slave brought here.

There's a lot blacks and whites have learned from each other and who's learned more is either irrelevant or a matter of opinion... IMO it's the latter.

I rarely see black produced YouTube videos of things like wood and metal working, technology, or arts and craft. There are blacks who excel at these, but IM experience blacks mostly make music, comedy or political videos. #Oops I did it again

They can, they do get their way be with riots, looting and fists... that's what gets me.

Depending on how you look at it, they've agitated or effectively lobbied for their; rights, privileges and entitlements. Reparations may be next, expect the same tactics. Allied with quislings, guilt ridden Ne'er-do-wells, Polly Anna's, fellow travelers and smitten impresarios they're a formidable block. # riots in the street?

When I say there's enough diversity from Chino to, China and Cairo to Copenhagen, I mean it for marrying and having kids, although I agree everyone has the right to do these with whoever they want. Caveat, I won't fight to protect someone's 'right' to, as I see it, destroy my peeps... not that they're likely to ask. I don't mean we shouldn't associate, as long as it's voluntary and not coerced. Of course, I'm called racist for expressing this, so many peeps of all colors won't want to associate with me.

It's a free country but I'm not for inter-marriage because IMO black genes are dominant and 50/50 mixed race kids are as good as any other and they're POC. When *discussing* this, POC's have *no worries* and can be as 'open minded' on the subject as they want... after all every new POC means more 'power to their people.' I'm called racist for not wanting 'our' peeps to disappear and for loving them... can you imagine the state of Indiana allowing a 'White Expo' and White Expo license plate... I think not.

Bottom line IMO... a 50/50 black/white mixed-race person; usually looks, acts and thinks like a black person. With all due respect, I prefer the; look, acts and thinking of our peeps, imperfect as we are... I will gladly lobby for continuity and coexistence, not capitulation and extinction.

I don't believe in the 'one drop rule' but in that and certain other matters that can be 'grey' in nature, I've formed impressions and have opinions. Not saying mine are right, but I'll take them over marching orders from the PCP, or anyone else.

Another *issue* is that IMO many blacks want; reparations, redistribution and/or retribution. I would offer reconciliation and recognition but no responsibility for what our ancestor may have done, any more than blacks give us credit for our ancestors dying in the Civil War.

**In the past, Anglos who had mixed race children *join the family* expected them to embrace 'All Americanism' at the expense of their heritage. That's changing and increasingly Anglos in mixed race families are doing the opposite... the co-opt shoe has switched feet.**

**Black, white, Asian etc., I think we're slightly 'different animals.' We make excellent 'hybrids' but 'originals' are fine too, because IMO some blood lines overwhelm.**

CNN previewed their show on the polygamist FLDS, interviewing a man and his three wives. There are 24 children between them and I wondered if they were on public assistance? At first, that possibility bothered me but then I thought of Terry Turnage who reportedly has 25 children with 15 women. Some call him the worst dead-beat dad ever, so I'm guessing taxpayers are 'financing' his children...why shouldn't others be equally 'entitled', at least until the system breaks down and then has to be fixed?

All races and ethnicities have a certain percentage of people who *may* commit violent crimes, and it's 100%. A much smaller percentage within each population commit violent crimes, but if a certain population has a statistically larger percentage of violent criminals, then society and individuals have the right to protect themselves.

Back in high school Sis's friend said if elected president first thing she'd do. 'is 'paint the White House black', and they laughed... #not laughing anymore.

Is *fast twitch* just for muscles or might it apply to brains? Watching the daily news and all the shootings, can I wonder what causes such itchy fingers? Is it possible that impulsiveness could be caused by *fast twitch* brains, wired and *adapted* for fast reaction times? Is it okay to ask this, or is it racist...? I think it's okay to wonder and ask such questions. I'm not saying it's a fact just a ponder.

You're exceptional and so are we, but IMO when mixed we disappear. That may be fine for many, or you might say no one's going to disappear. That's fine, there's no need for you to agree nor is there any right or reason for either side in the 'debate' to force their opinion on others.

IMO mixed race children look and act more like blacks than whites, so even though one of the best men I know is black, I hope we don't mix. Blacks are; incredible survivors, intelligent, talented physically and IMO have a dominant genome, I like and wish them well, but I like my people too.

I'm neither for, or against *discrimination*, I'm for freedom of choice, looking at the content of one's character and at everything else. I'm for the right to decide if you want to associate with someone and for them to decide if they want to associate with you. If we agree to mingle it's fine, if not it shouldn't be a big deal... just don't tell the PCP that.

**White males are *among* our species biggest assholes... but the asshole race is a dead heat.**

I'm not saying one race was created superior, or has evolved into a superior race, just saying we've been created or evolved somewhat differently. We should have the freedom to further develop according to our desire not someone else, be they from the government, media, academia or anywhere else.

Given the choice, which we're not, I'd prefer not to rent to black people because I've had numerous bad experiences. If you're not allowed to learn from history, aren't you doomed to repeat it... which seems to be the PCPs desire.

I'm not superior to anyone and think we're all equal in the eyes of God and should be in the eyes of the law too. We all deserve the same rights and responsibilities, some are faster, and some are smarter but that doesn't make anyone superior... it just makes them faster and or smarter. I'm may be inferior to 'average Joe' in some ways but that doesn't mean that I should take a backseat, we all deserve the same rights and responsibilities.

The guest on CNN disowned his white nationalist uncle who's for separation while he's for reparations and social justice. The young man says you can't compare people who fight against the Nazis, to Nazis. Hitler and the Nazis were among the worst of the worst but the Communists who helped defeat them were also bad and Stalin wasn't much 'better' than Hitler and we accepted him as an ally.

Charlottesville Virginia, Robert E. Lee's statue is torn down, leading to violence between the alt left and the alt right, and the tragic murder of a liberal demonstrator. Trump asks, 'what's next, Stonewall Jackson then Jefferson and Washington?' Then might it be the patriarchs of the Bible... didn' t some of them own slaves?

The congressman said, 'so many of us now have mixed race families that we have to rethink things.' Does that mean that if you have a mixed-race family you're supposed to abandon your values and adopt, 'black' values? IMO there are few populations so monolithic in their apparent beliefs as blacks. It makes me think that when you mix of white and a black person you get a person of color and you can end up co-opting an entire family, or a large part of it. That may be fine for many but not for me, because in the process long held American values are replaced by the values and worldviews of people of color. I agree with some of their values and views but there are even more I can't abide.

If a population has a mediocre past and a checkered present, why would we hand them our future?

**You are my equal, but you are not my people, and when we mix *mine* disappear, and for me - therein lies the rub.**

## **Writing**

'Father McKenzie writing the words of a sermon that no one will hear, no one comes near  
Look at him working, darning his socks in the night when there's nobody there  
What does he care?' ... Beatles

Not a journalist... a journalier ☺

I don't actually record every thought I have... just a lot of them, and they're  
more or less 'fit to print', the rest I share with *He* who hears everything ☺

It's a very long 'note to self' to help remember things in old age

Do words last longer when written in stone, or sent to the cloud?

I write because I'm trying to make sense of the world and that's confusing at  
times. Hopefully it's helping me sort things out and if anybody else reads it I  
hope it doesn't confuse them...

Is writing therapeutic or cathartic? It's both! (ca-thar-tic1... /kə 'THärdik/ adjective;  
providing psychological relief through the open expression of strong emotions; causing  
catharsis: (chiefly of a drug) purgative. producing a feeling of being purified emotionally,  
spiritually, or psychologically as a result of an intense emotional experience or  
therapeutic technique. ☺

This writing isn't complicated, just convoluted, changeable and sometimes  
contradictory... and it's all because, humans just happen to be that way.

In our financial lives we're told to 'pay ourselves first', in other words put something in savings  
before you pay your bills, because you're ultimately responsible for paying for retirement.  
Writers should do the same, allow yourself time to write before you do the bosses' bidding.  
I'm going to give it a try...

I'm less interested in a legacy as in the survival of; my family, our people, and  
thoughts and ideas that have and are being stymied and suppressed.  
# not doing so great.

*Say what you will... I'm just trying to work through and get stuff off my  
chest ☺*

**Salmon Rushdie said our identities are unclear and maybe it's better for it to remain that way... he's entitled to his opinion.**

**Salmon Rushdie describes novels as a good way to do establish the truth between the writer and the reader. I'd say that like actors, novelist usually don't put their cards on the table... it's called artistic license which is fine. The novelist can hide, obfuscate or play someone else's hand, while in nonfiction you're at least expected to show it. The 'Big Lie' method can be used in both forms but the novelist is given a pass to run rampant.**

I'm neither a great writer nor a great thinker, but I am a writer and a thinker and you won't shame me from being either.

The intellect of God is so great that no matter how far we 'progress' we will never scratch the surface. We may achieve great things, but we will never even remotely approach the creator. The Bible is at its best when it affirms nature not when the writers inserted self-serving ideas.

Religious writings have always been in demand in the marketplace of the mind to explain why we're here, where we came from and where we're going. The authors of old like the screenwriters of today include people of goodwill as well as utter charlatans. I can't take any of them at their word when they claim to speak for the Almighty without irrefutable evidence which I've never seen. There are also numerous relics and artifacts 'designed' to prove their case but many are obvious fakes and forgeries... but there are a few that are compelling, so faith will come down to faith for a long time.

**Publishing on Internet Archive put's it 'out there' even if no one buys, though that would be nice. If a known someone reads it, they'll probably be bored or call it crazy... *what it is* ☺**

**'I would have made my letter to you shorter but didn't have the time'... Ben Franklin**

## **ZPG**

People ask, 'why would you want to bring children into this world... for one thing, I respectfully think God doesn't like quitters....

I am opposed to ZPG and vasectomies for 'personal reasons.' We're discouraged from expressing religious beliefs unless we identify with a 'legitimate' religion. We're discouraged from saying we're spiritual because that's 'new age' and we're discouraged from philosophizing in this age of 'great religions.'

Animals don't practice birth control, so why should we? Why listen to 'experts' who tell us to 'family plan' ourselves into extinction? Natural forces used to regulate animal populations, now it's hunting and fishing seasons, and social scientists want to control humans scientifically too. Social engineers now write checks to some peeps for having *government babies*, and the peeps they're replacing pay the bill, even as they're told to practice ZPG. Peeps who can afford and responsibly raise their kids should have as many as they want... those who can't shouldn't be encouraged and by hook or by crook should be made to pay for their needs.

### **Ethnic cleansing by ZPG... # sucks.**

When the Bible and nature concur who am I to disagree? So, I believe in *being fruitful and multiplying* if you want to and can afford to.

I remember something about be fruitful and multiply but nothing about - snip, snip, snip, snip...

| want to be part of the family that lives on for generations...| hope and pray we're not just a flash in the pan.

| consider the vasectomy mistake and consider it a man's duty to remain intact. You never know when you might want to or believe you should *try again*. Call it grandiose if you want | don't care and have no obligation to explain further to anyone other than maybe loved ones.

| respect and revere the old and New Testaments equally that doesn't mean | believe everything in them but when they and nature agree like 'be fruitful and multiply' | can't ignore it. If you don't think |'m religious great if you don't think |'m spiritual fine just don't demand control of my body.

| was told that vasectomies were easily reversible and had no serious side effects... that wasn't the whole truth and nothing but the truth... it was a mistake not to do my own due diligence.

| want to be intact... what's wrong with that?

God forbid that I love, cherish and respect my family and self, enough to want us to survive, much less flourish. The PC/ZPG'ers call that

sacrilege, instructing us to disappear into the woodwork and redistribute our assets to peeps who hate us. Do that if you want, I don't plan on following those instructions.

I'm not calling ZPG a conspiracy or plot, just an agenda I strongly disagree with and regret being duped by.

Who will parent the children who will cure cancer...?

Do you want your peeps to survive and even thrive? Do you love, respect and consider you and your loved ones valuable enough to 'reproduce' or do you believe yours have had their time in the sun and it's someone else's turn? IMO there's room for both to thrive and it should be by our own doing, not by some mandate. From ancient times till recently it was okay to value your people, family trees and bloodline or whatever you want to call it. Now it's politically incorrect and according to many, racist to talk about these unless you adhere to the PC narrative... a narrative designed to change the world in a prescribed manner.

Neither 'one and done' nor zero population growth is being *fruitful and multiplying*. Multiplying means increase and if you don't it won't be pretty. Like it or not human history includes an element of competition and those who are timid and subservient become victims of the movers and shakers. We can and should peacefully coexist but that's most likely to happen when we're strong and plentiful.

The writers of the Bible, under God's direction or maybe under natural circumstances said we should be fruitful and multiply. For the past 50 years we've been taught that we should *have one and be done*, or embrace zero population growth. In the past, with minimal healthcare women frequently had 10 or more children, which I neither advocate or criticize. Now were told that having more than 2.3 kids is rude, crude and socially unacceptable unless you're a member of a *disadvantaged* group. My people aka Heinz 57's don't seem to give a flying you know what about disappearing and being absorbed or replaced.

I guess my disagreement with ZPG is mostly because I want a perpetual family but there are other reasons. When I think of my Dad buried at Crown Hill, it makes me think that his life will not have been in vain if the family goes on. Otherwise he's just resting in the ground with little connection to the world of

the future. I don't know for sure what he'd think but believe he'd be pleased if there were new generations of our family. The same applies to my grandma and mother.

An average fertile man 'releases' about 200 million sperm per ejaculation and the world's population is about 8 billion. So theoretically (but not realistically) one man could 're-populate' the planet in 40 ejacks. This couldn't happen for a number of reasons, but it might help explain the male sex drive.

An average woman is born with approximately a million eggs, and she releases 300 to 400 of them in her lifetime. That may contribute to her sex drive being somewhat different than most men's. It seems like most women and men want a *manageable* number of children, which to me sounds responsible. There are exceptions like peeps who seem to believe that taxpayers should pay for 'government babies.'

How many children should you have? As many as the taxpayers can support and then some... I'm being facetious because without reform, government babies may eventually outnumber the other kind.

Let the system crash and force a return to everyone trying to be responsible. Instead the middle class has bought into ZPG while others play the system in an attempt to change the demographic 'facts on the ground', so their peeps will have greater influence and eventually complete control. # you know who you are.

No one says you *must* but if 'that' was His first instruction to mankind he probably meant it, and it seems Mrs. Nature does too.

I will not let our family genome wither and die on the vine if I can help it, but it's possibly beyond my control.

IMO the peeps making government babies are gaming society, by allowing this to go on unabated western society will be fundamentally changed and it won't be for the better. So, either end subsidies to GB's and their parents, or let's all get in on it... I vote for the former.

Agreed... it's more blessed to give than to receive, but if giving leads to the destruction of your people... then why do it?

When nature and the Bible are on the same page, I'm a reader... BFAM was the first thing God said to us. Genesis 1:28

Some say life isn't a competition, but I think survival is... are our 'instructions' be fruitful and multiply or *give away the farm*?

I've been thinking why do men get married during the war it's the worst the time you know I think it's because when you get out here your close to things. You realize way down inside no matter how much you try not to think about it maybe something's got your number on it and you want to leave a little bit of yourself behind. Doesn't matter if it's a boy or a girl, just so long that you won't be forgotten. That they'll be somebody who would've never lived if it wasn't for you'... Sands of Iwo Jima